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THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY AT TALLAHASSEE IS AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE CAPITAL CITY OF FLORIDA. LOCATED IN THE NORTHWESTERN SECTION OF THE STATE, TALLAHASSEE HAS A METROPOLITAN POPULATION OF APPROXIMATELY 47,000.

THE UNIVERSITY WAS FIRST ESTABLISHED IN 1857 AS A "SEMINARY WEST OF THE SEWANEE," AUTHORIZED BY THE 1851 LEGISLATURE. THE SCHOOL OPENED ON THE GROUNDS OF THE FORMER "FLORIDA INSTITUTE." THE NAME WAS CHANGED TO "FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE" IN 1901 AND THE SCHOOL REMAINED CO-EDUCATIONAL UNTIL THE BUCKMAN BILL OF 1905. THEN IT BECAME THE "FLORIDA FEMALE COLLEGE" AND WAS RE-NAMED IN 1909 "THE FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN." BY ACT OF THE 1947 LEGISLATURE, THE INSTITUTION AGAIN BECAME CO-EDUCATIONAL AS THE "FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY" ON MAY 15, 1947.

GROWTH AND PROGRESS HAVE ALWAYS DISTINGUISHED FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY. THE SCHOOL HAS GROWN FROM A SEMINARY CONSISTING OF THREE BUILDINGS AND AN ENROLLMENT OF 150 TO A UNIVERSITY WITH A PHYSICAL PLANT OF 45 PERMANENT STRUCTURES AND A STUDENT BODY OF AROUND 6,000. A FACULTY AND STAFF OF ABOUT 1,000 COMPRISE THE TEACHING AND ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL. A "MASTER CAMPUS PLAN" DEVELOPED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF PRESIDENT DOAK S. CAMPBELL WILL COORDINATE EXPANSION FOR THE NEXT 47 YEARS. SEVERAL OF THE BUILDINGS FIRST DESIGNATED IN THIS PLAN, SUCH AS DORMITORIES, STADIUM, STUDENT UNION, MUSIC AND MAINTENANCE HAVE ALREADY BEEN CONSTRUCTED. THE GREAT NEED OF THE ATHLETICS DEPARTMENT NOW IS AN ADEQUATE GYMNASIUM.

PRIMARY EMPHASIS AT FSU IS PLACED ON A HIGHLY QUALIFIED FACULTY AND STAFF, SCHOLARSHIP, PERSONAL INTEREST IN THE INDIVIDUAL STUDENT, A CAREFULLY PLANNED CURRICULUM, AND AN EFFICIENT, BEAUTIFUL PHYSICAL PLANT. AT ALL TIMES THE GENERAL OBJECTIVE OF SERVICE TO THE PEOPLE OF FLORIDA AND THE SOUTH IS THE MAJOR GUIDING PRINCIPLE UPON WHICH THE PROGRAM OF THE UNIVERSITY IS BASED.

THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY HAS 14 MAJOR DIVISIONS -- THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES, SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, SCHOOL OF HOME ECONOMICS, SCHOOL OF MUSIC, SCHOOL OF LIBRARY TRAINING AND SERVICE, SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM, SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, SCHOOL OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WELFARE, SCHOOL OF NURSING, HOME DEMONSTRATION, AIR R.O.T.C., ORDINANCE R.O.T.C. AND THE GRADUATE SCHOOL.

COURSES LEADING TO THE MASTERS DEGREES ARE PROVIDED IN 36 AREAS AND FOR THE DOCTORATE IN NINE AREAS.

FSU FOOTBALL RECORDS - BRIEFLY

Biggest FSU score, all time - FSU 74, Whiting Field 0 (1949).
Biggest FSU score under Veller - FSU 74, Wh Field 0 (1949).
Biggest Opponent's score, all time - Troy 36, FSU 6 (1947).
Biggest Opponent's score under Veller - FSU 35, Tampa 19 (1950).
Bowl games scores, Cigar Bowl 1950 - FSU 19, Wofford 6.
Bowl games scores under Veller - Cigar Bowl 1950 - FSU 19, Wofford 6.

Florida State University was never defeated in three years of Dixie Conference football competition. The University resigned from the Dixie Conference in the Spring of 1951.

Florida State's 1950 football team was undefeated and untied in eight games, becoming the first white college team in the history of Florida to complete a full schedule with an unblemished record.

FOOTBALL'S BEGINNING AT FLORIDA STATE

1901 -- The first football team was organized at the school, then known as the Florida State College. No records are available, but several alumni of that period recall that Florida State broke even in a 2-game schedule with town teams of Bainbridge and Tallahassee. A. L. Randolph was team captain.

1902 -- The Florida State team of 1902 won two games and lost one under the direction of Coach W. W. Hughes. Asa B. Clark was team captain and Frank B. Winthrop was manager. Florida State defeated Bainbridge 5-0, and broke even in two games with the Florida Agricultural College of Lake City (now University of Florida at Gainesville).

1903 -- No records available.

1904 -- No records are available of the 1904 scores, but we know that the team defeated all of its opponents that year except Georgia Tech. Among its victims were Stetson University, Florida Agricultural College, the Jacksonville All-Stars and the East Florida Seminary. The 1904 Florida State gridders were awarded a silver cup as "state football champions." The 1904 starting lineup had Harry Wells and Lawrence Murray at ends, Church Whitner and Mose Liddell at tackles, Guyte McCord and Dan Williams (Captain) at guards, Weldon Mullen at center, Asa Clark at quarterback, Harry Province at right halfback, Fritz Bucholtz at fullback, and Olin Chappel at left halfback. Frank Gammon was team manager and "Pee Wee" Forsythe was coach.

1905-1947 -- From 1905 through the Spring of 1947, Florida State was a women's college -- no football, of course.

HOW GOOD WILL FLORIDA STATE BE IN 1951?

THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY SEMINOLES START OUT IN AN ENTIRELY NEW FIELD THIS YEAR -- A FIELD THAT INCLUDES LIMITED SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE FOR ATHLETES AND A MUCH STRONGER SCHEDULE. BOTH OF THESE FACTORS MUST BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION IN DETERMINING "HOW GOOD WILL FLORIDA STATE BE IN 1951."

IT WOULD SEEM AT FIRST THOUGHT THAT THE NEW REGULATION PERMITTING ASSISTANCE TO ATHLETES WOULD BE NOTICABLY HELPFUL TOWARDS THE BUILDING OF THIS YEAR'S SQUAD. CERTAINLY THIS ASSISTANCE WILL HELP IN THE LONG RUN, BUT IN THE SHORT PERIOD OF TIME THE FLORIDA STATE COACHING STAFF HAS BEEN ABLE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF IT, IT HASN'T HELPED MUCH.

FLORIDA STATE WILL GIVE 55 SCHOLARSHIPS TO FOOTBALL PLAYERS IN 1951. THESE SCHOLARSHIPS WILL CONSIST OF ROOM, BOARD AND TUITION, PERIOD. NO BOOKS, NO LAUNDRY OR NO SPENDING MONEY, AS IS OFFERED IN SOME SCHOOLS. THOSE 55 SCHOLARSHIPS ARE ON A COMPETATIVE BASIS -- IN ORDER TO EARN ONE OF THEM THE PLAYERS HAVE TO PROVE THEMSELVES IN PRE-SEASON PRACTICE AS CAPABLE OF MAKING ONE OF THE FIRST FIVE TEAMS AT FLORIDA STATE. THE OTHERS WILL BE CUT, OR WILL CONTINUE ON THE SQUAD VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT SCHOLARSHIP. WITH OTHER SCHOOLS OFFERING MORE FROM A MONETARY STANDPOINT THIS PLAN MAKES IT EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO GET THE BETTER COLLEGE FOOTBALL PROSPECTS.

PERHAPS IT SHOULD BE POINTED OUT HERE ALSO THAT UPON LEAVING THE DIXIE CONFERENCE THIS YEAR, FLORIDA STATE HAS PUT INTO EFFECT A NEW TRANSFER RULE. THIS RULE, WHICH BEGINS WITH THE OPENING OF SCHOOL THIS YEAR, STATES THAT A TRANSFER STUDENT MUST PUT IN TWO SEMESTERS' RESIDENCE AT FLORIDA STATE BEFORE HE IS ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE IN INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS. AS SUMMER SCHOOL DOES NOT COUNT AS A SEMESTER, THIS IN EFFECT AMOUNTS TO A ONE YEAR RESIDENCE RULE. OF COURSE JUNIOR COLLEGE GRADUATES, AS IN OTHER SCHOOLS, MAY ENTER FLORIDA STATE AS JUNIORS AND PLAY THEIR FIRST YEAR.

AS FOR THE SCHEDULE, SUCH HEAVILY SUBSIDIZED TEAMS AS UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI, SUL ROSS STATE, WOFFORD AND BRADLEY UNIVERSITY HAVE TAKEN THE PACE OF NON-SUBSIDIZED TEAMS LIKE HOWARD, MILLSAPS, MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE AND SEWANEE WHO WERE ON FORMER FLORIDA STATE SLATES.

NOW, "HOW GOOD WILL FLORIDA STATE BE IN 1951?" OBVIOUSLY THE SEMINOLES WILL HAVE TO BE BETTER TO HOLD THEIR OWN AGAINST MUCH BETTER OPPOSITION. WITH TWO WEEKS OF PRACTICE LEFT BEFORE THE FIRST GAME, AS THIS IS WRITTEN, THE COACHING STAFF STILL DOESN'T KNOW THE ANSWER.

NINETEEN LETTERMEN HAVE RETURNED FROM THE 1950 SQUAD WHICH FIN-

ISHED UNDEFEATED AND UNTIED LAST YEAR. ELEVEN OF LAST YEAR'S LETTERMEN GRADUATED, WENT INTO MILITARY SERVICE, OR LEFT SCHOOL FOR OTHER REASONS. INCLUDED IN THE ELEVEN WHO ARE GONE, UNFORTUNATELY, ARE THE FIRST FIVE TACKLES FROM THE 1950 SQUAD AND BOTH STARTING OFFENSIVE ENDS. ALSO GONE IS LAST YEAR'S NUMBER ONE RESERVE CENTER. THESE ARE POSITIONS THAT NEED NOT ONLY FIRST LINE STRENGTH, BUT MUST HAVE DEPTH IN RESERVES. WITH THAT IN MIND LETS LOOK AT THE SQUAD DEPARTMENTALLY AND BY POSITION.

DEPARTMENTALLY THIS IS HOW FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY'S 1951 TEAM STACKS UP ON PAPER AS COMPARED WITH THE UNDEFEATED AND UNTIED 1950 ELEVEN:

RUNNING: WITH ALL OF LAST YEAR'S TOP RUNNING BACKS RETURNING, PLUS SOME VERY PROMISING TRANSFERS AND FRESHMEN, THE SEMINOLES' RUNNING ATTACK SHOULD BE STRONGER THAT IN 1950. BUT, OF COURSE, THE PLAYERS CAN ONLY RUN IF AND WHEN THE LINE DOES ITS PART, AND THE 1951 LINE IS NOT PROVEN YET. OUTSTANDING RUNNERS THIS YEAR SHOULD INCLUDE LETTERMEN MIKE SELLERS, NELSON ITALIANO, HARRY BRINGGER, DICK TURK AND NEWCOMERS ROY THOMPSON, RONALD KING, BOBBY FIVEASH, GARY FOLSOM AND AL WOODHAM. FOLSOM IS A RESERVE FROM LAST YEAR'S TEAM, THOMPSON, KING, FIVEASH AND WOODHAM ARE ELIGIBLE TRANSFER STUDENTS.

PASSING: FLORIDA STATE HAS NEVER BEEN A "PASSING TEAM," YET THE SEMINOLES HAVE ALWAYS HAD DANGEROUS ENOUGH A PASSING ATTACK TO KEEP THE OPPONENTS "LOOSE." IN THIS DEPARTMENT THE INDIANS SHOULD ALSO BE AT LEAST AS STRONG AS IN 1950 BECAUSE THE PLAYERS WHO DID MOST OF THE PASSING ARE BACK. THESE INCLUDE LETTERMEN NELSON ITALIANO, HARRY BRINGGER AND RESERVE GARY FOLSOM. THOMPSON, FIVEASH, WOODHAM AND TOM SEBRING LOOK BEST OF THE NEW PLAYERS. WITH SOME FINE TARGETS AT ENDS, FLORIDA STATE MAY THROW THE BALL A LOT MORE THIS YEAR.

PUNTING: TOMMY BROWN, THE SEMINOLES' OUTSTANDING PUNTER OF 1950, IS BACK FOR HIS SENIOR YEAR AND IS SURE TO DO MOST OF THE BOOTING. HE CAN HOLD HIS OWN WITH THE BEST OF THEM IN THIS DEPARTMENT. HE WILL GET HELP WHEN NEEDED FROM ITALIANO, AND NEW PLAYERS TOM SEBRING, VERN FREEZE AND BUDDY BRYANT. BRYANT WAS A LETTERMAN CENTER ON THE 1947 FLORIDA STATE SQUAD AND HAS NOT BEEN IN SCHOOL SINCE THAT TIME.

PLACE-KICKING: ERNIE HUGGETT, WHO DUE TO A PHYSICAL DISABILITY IS UNABLE TO PLAY REGULARILY, WILL HANDLE MOST OF THE CONVERSION AND FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS. HUGGETT SERVED THE SEMINOLES WELL IN THIS CAPACITY LAST SEASON AND FIGURES TO DO EVEN BETTER WITH IT THIS YEAR. UNDERSTUDY TO HUGGETT WILL BE FRESHMAN JOHNNY SHEPPARD, FORMER LEON HIGH SCHOOL OF TALLAHASSEE PLACE-KICKING ACE. LETTERMEN SELLERS AND RESERVE BACK FOLSOM HAVE ALSO HAD PLACE-KICKING EXPERIENCE.

KICK-OFFS: ERNIE HUGGETT, THE PLACE-KICK SPECIALIST, IS EXPECTED TO HANDLE MOST OF THE KICKOFF CHORES AS HE DID IN 1950. HE MAY GET HELP FROM SELLERS, OR FROM FRESHAMN MANUEL MOSHONAS, AN END. HUGGETT HAS BEEN KICKING BETTER THAN EVER IN PRACTICE THIS FALL AND WE SHOULD BE STRONGER HERE.

BLOCKING: THIS, OF COURSE, IS THE MOST IMPORTANT PHASE OF OFFENSIVE FOOTBALL. YOU CAN HAVE THE BEST BACKS IN THE NATION, BUT THEY CAN'T HELP YOU MUCH IF THE LINE CAN'T CARRY OUT ITS BLOCKING ASSIGNMENTS, OR IF THEY CAN'T BLOCK THEMSELVES. GONE ARE SEVEN OF LAST YEARS LETTERMEN AT THE IMPORTANT BLOCKING POSTS (TO THE SINGLE WING AS USED MOST OF THE TIME BY FLORIDA STATE) OF TACKLE AND END. SEVERAL FINE NEW PLAYERS, PLUS IMPROVEMENT OF RETURNING LETTERMEN, HAVE STRENGTHENED THE ENDS UNTIL THEY APPEAR ON PAPER TO BE BETTER BLOCKERS THAN LAST YEAR. BUT THE COACHING STAFF, AT THIS POINT (THREE WEEKS BEFORE THE SEASON OPENER), ARE STILL EXPERIMENTING AT OFFENSIVE TACKLE -- AND THEY ARE NOT TOO HAPPY WITH THE RESULTS. THE OTHER LINE POSITIONS SHOULD BE AS STRONG, OR STRONGER, BLOCKING THAN LAST YEAR. THE BACKS THIS SEASON DEFINITELY APPEAR TO BE BETTER BLOCKERS. THE ANSWER, THEN, IS AT TACKLE AND IT IS STILL A NUMBER ONE PROBLEM.

TACKLING OR DEFENSIVE PLAY: TO DATE (NOTE ABOVE) COACH VELLER HAS SPENT LITTLE TIME ON DEFENSE, BUT IT WOULD APPEAR FROM THE PERSONNEL AVAILABLE AND ITS DEVELOPEMENT SO FAR THAT THE SEMINOLES WILL BE WEAKER DEFENSIVELY THAN IN 1950. MISSING IN THIS DEPARTMENT WILL BE SUCH FINE HUSKIES AS CAPTAIN DUKE MALTBY, MOST VALUABLE PLAYER DUB KENDRICK AND BIG DWIGHT OSHA, AMONG OTHERS. BACK, OF COURSE, IS CAPTAIN BILL DAWKINS, PERHAPS ONE OF THE FINEST LINE-BACKERS IN THE SOUTH TODAY, AND MIKE SELLERS WHO RATES RIGHT ALONG WITH HIM. OTHERS THE SEMINOLES WILL LEAN HEAVILY ON INCLUDE RETURNING LETTERMEN BILL DRIVER, JIM ARNOLD, CURT CAMPBELL, VIC SZCZEPANIK, BOB WODRICH, EARL O'NEAL, BOB SCHMELZ AND BUDDY BRYANT. BOB TULLY, A RESERVE TWO YEARS AGO, AND NEWCOMERS CHARLIE BROWN, JOE ROBINSON, MANUEL MOSHONAS, ERNIE NAGY, NAT POLAK, CHARLEY BOOTH, ROGER SLABAUGH AND TOMMY OWEN, ANOTHER RESERVE, MAY HELP BUT HAVE A LONG WAY TO GO TO TAKE THE ROUGH SPOTS OFF.

BREAKING IT DOWN BY POSITIONS, VERY BRIEFLY:

ENDS: GRADUATED ARE LAST TWO YEARS' STARTERS TED HEWITT AND NORMAN EUBANKS. RETURNING ARE LAST YEAR'S QUARTERBACK BILL DRIVER WHO LOOKS MUCH BETTER AT END, DEFENSIVE ACE JIM "MIGHTY MITE" ARNOLD, AND ALL AROUND FINE PLAYER CURT CAMPBELL WHO WAS INJURED MOST OF 1950. A LIST OF FINE NEWCOMERS SUCH AS BOB WHITMER (1951-52 BASKETBALL CAPTAIN-ELECT), GENE BRIDGES, JOE ROBINSON, MANUEL MOSHONAS AND TED MORRILL, AMONG OTHERS, MAKE THIS POSITION LOOK GOOD. ON PAPER

WE SHOULD BE STRONGER OFFENSIVELY AND DEFENSIVELY THAN IN 1950 AT END.

TACKLES: GONE ARE LETTERMEN CAPTAIN DUKE MALTBY, MOST VALUABLE PLAYER IN 1950 DUB KENDRICK, SAM BAKER, DWIGHT OSHA AND CARMINE LOMBARDI. IN THIS GROUP ARE ALL THE STARTING OFFENSIVE AND DEFENSIVE TACKLES OF 1950. RETURNEES ARE VIC SZCZEPANIK AND BOB WODRICH, BOTH FINE BALL PLAYERS BUT NOT EQUAL TO PLAYING 60 MINUTES OF BALL EACH WEEK AT THIS TOUGH POSITION. BEST OF THE NEWCOMERS APPEAR TO BE: OFFENSIVELY CHARLIE BROWN, NAT POLAK AND ERNIE NAGY; DEFENSIVELY BROWN, POLAK AND JOHN KARLOWICZ. LETTERMAN MAC HUEY, WHO PLAYED QB LAST YEAR, WILL BE USED AT BOTH TACKLE AND GUARD AND IS IMPROVING FAST IN HIS NEW ASSIGNMENTS. ON PAPER WE SHOULD BE WEAKER AT TACKLE.

GUARDS: GONE IS LAST YEAR'S PROMISING FRESHMAN FROM TAMPA, WENDELL DENNIS. RETURNING AND EXPECTED TO HAVE GOOD YEARS AGAIN ARE CAPTAIN BILL DAWKINS, BOB SCHMELZ (BOTH THREE-YEAR LETTERMEN) AND EARL O'NEAL. BOB TULLY, WHO WAS A RESERVE HERE IN 1949, AND TRANSFER CHARLIE BROWN LOOK THE BEST OF THE NEWCOMERS, ALTHOUGH BROWN MAY BE MOVED TO TACKLE. CHARLIE BOOTH, ROGER SLABAUGH AND BOBBY WALKER ALSO SHOW PROMISE AT GUARD TO GIVE SOME DEPTH. WE SHOULD BE STRONGER HERE THAN IN 1950, PROVIDED THAT CAPTAIN DAWKINS' INJURED LEG COMES AROUND.

CENTERS: GONE IS MONTE MAY, A THREE-YEAR LETTERMAN WHO HAD ANOTHER YEAR OF ELIGIBILITY. RETURNING ARE LAST YEAR'S OFFENSIVE STARTER STEVE KALENICH (WHO STILL LOOKS THE BEST OF THE LOT), 1950 LETTERMAN ED LOCKARD AND 1947 LETTERMAN BUDDY BRYANT. BUDDY, PARTICULARILY, COULD HELP IF HE GETS BACK IN SHAPE. TOMMY OWEN, A 1950 RESERVE, IS COMING ALONG FAST AT THIS POSITION, WHILE FRESHMEN MARVIN MOLLNOW ANS BILL WHALEY SHOW PROMISE. CENTER POSITION ABOUT HOLDS EVEN WITH 1950.

QUARTERBACKS: WITH BILL DRIVER AND MAC HUEY SHIFTED TO THE LINE, AND DON GLADDEN STILL IN THE MILITARY SERVICE, WE HAVE NO RETURNING QUARTERBACK LETTERMEN. PRESTON BRADLEY, WHO EARNED HIS MONOGRAM AT FULLBACK LAST FALL, IS TAKING WELL TO THIS POSITION AS IS DICK TURK, ANOTHER FORMER FLORIDA STATE FULLBACK. NEWCOMERS HERE INCLUDE TOM SEBRING, GERALD SMITH AND JIMMIE LEE TAYLOR. ON PAR WITH 1950, AT LEAST.

FULLBACKS: MIKE SELLERS, ONE OF THE BEST IN THE SOUTH, AND TURK RETURN. BEST NEW BOYS ARE RONALD KING AND GEORGE CARNES. THIS POSITION LACKS DEPTH BUT IS AS STRONG AS IN 1950, MAYBE STRONGER WITH KING.

HALFBACKS: LOST WAS EDDIE GRAY, A RESERVE LETTERMAN. RETURNING ARE NELSON ITALIANO, HARRY BRINGGER, WAYNE BENNER, TOMMY BROWN AND RESERVE GARY FOLSOM. BEST OF THE NEW BOYS SEEM TO BE ROY THOMPSON, BOBBY FIVEASH, AL WOODHAM AND GEORGE GRAHAM. WE SHOULD BE STRONGER AND HAVE MORE DEPTH IN HALFBACKS FOR 1951.

SUMMARY: THE TEAM SHOULD BE STRONGER OFFENSIVELY, ??? DEFENSIVELY.

HOW ABOUT THE OPPOSITION?

ONE THING THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY COACHES AND PLAYERS KNOW FOR SURE ABOUT THE OPPOSITION THIS YEAR -- IT'S GOING TO BE TOUGHER FROM THE OPENING GAME OF THE SEASON ON.

THE SEMINOLES RETURN TO A NINE GAME SCHEDULE THIS FALL WHICH INCLUDES FIVE ENTIRELY NEW OPPONENTS - UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI, DELTA STATE, SUL ROSS STATE, JACKSONVILLE NAVAL AIR STATION AND BRADLEY UNIVERSITY - AND WOFFORD COLLEGE, THE TEAM THE SEMINOLES DEFEATED IN THE TAMPA CIGAR BOWL GAME OF 1950. THESE TEAMS REPLACE SUCH SQUADS AS HOWARD COLLEGE, MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE, HOWARD COLLEGE AND MILLSAPS -- SCHOOLS WHERE ATHLETICS IS NOT EMPHASIZED -- AND ARE SURE TO BE MUCH STRONGER. MIAMI, FOR INSTANCE, IS RATED IN THE PRE-SEASON DOPE SHEETS AS ONE OF THE NATION'S LEADING ELEVENS. SUL ROSS WILL BE THE DEFENDING CHAMPION FAVORED TO REPEAT AGAIN IN THE BORDER CONFERENCE (TEXAS), WOFFORD IS ALWAYS A POWERHOUSE AMONG THE SOUTH'S SMALLER COLLEGES, BRADLEY BROKE EVEN LAST YEAR IN THE TOUGH MISSOURI VALLEY CONFERENCE, DELTA STATE AND JACKSONVILLE NAVY ARE BOTH RATED MUCH IMPROVED.

THE SEMINOLES ALSO FACE THREE OLD RIVALS -- TROY STATE, STETSON UNIVERSITY AND UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA. THESE THREE SCHOOLS HAVE BEEN RECRUITING HEAVILY SINCE LAST SEASON AND ARE REPORTED CONSIDERABLY STRONGER. THEY WERE TOUGH ENOUGH LAST YEAR!

NOW HERE, A LITTLE MORE IN DETAIL, IS SOME INFORMATION ON FLORIDA STATE'S 1951 FOOTBALL OPPONENTS:

TROY STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE (TROY, ALABAMA) AT TALLAHASSEE, SATURDAY NIGHT, SEPT 29, 8:00 PM. LAST YEAR'S SCORE WAS FLORIDA STATE 26, TROY 7. THE TROY STATE RED WAVE GOT OFF TO A BAD START LAST FALL, DROPPING ITS FIRST SIX GAMES, THEN CAME BACK TO WIN THREE OUT OF ITS LAST FOUR STARTS AND TIE ALWAYS STRONG LIVINGSTON STATE. PERHAPS ONE OF THE THINGS THAT HELD TROY BACK IN 1950 WAS THE ILLNESS OF HEAD COACH FRED "BUDDY" MCCOLLUM EARLY IN THE SEASON. MCCOLLUM, A FORMER AUBURN PLAYER AND LINE COACH, HAS HAD GREAT SUCCESS AT TROY EXCEPT FOR THIS PAST SEASON. THE WAVEMEN WERE ALABAMA INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS IN 1948 AND 1949, AND PLAYED IN THE 1949 PAPER BOWL GAME AT PENSACOLA. LEONARD SERFUSTINI (U. OF BUFFALO) IS THE LINE COACH AT TROY.

COACHES MCCOLLUM AND SERFUSTINI WILL HAVE 14 LETTERMEN RETURNING THIS YEAR, SEVERAL PROMISING FRESHMEN AND TRANSFERS. OUTSTANDING PLAYERS AMONG THE RETURNEES INCLUDE CAPTAIN ALLEN HARRELL, A FINE QUARTERBACK; HARD-RUNNING ALTERNATE CAPTAIN ERSEL BECK AT HALFBACK; DICK WADE AT END AND CLAY JORDAN AT TACKLE. COACH MCCOLLUM MAKES NO

(NOTE: MCCOLLUM NO LONGER WITH TROY -- NEW COACH IS JIM GRANTHAM, FORMER STAR ALABAMA END)

BONES ABOUT THE FACT THAT THE FLORIDA STATE GAME IS THE ONE ON HIS SCHEDULE HE'D LIKE MOST TO WIN. HE'S SURE TO HAVE THE WAVEMEN AT THEIR BEST AND WORKING FOR AN UPSET AGAINST THE SEMINOLES AT TALLAHASSEE SEPTEMBER 29. TROY'S COLORS ARE RED AND BLACK.

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI (MIAMI, FLORIDA) AT MIAMI, FRIDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 4, 8:15 PM. IN PLAYING UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI THIS SEASON THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY SEMINOLES JUMP RIGHT FROM THE NON-SUBSIDIZED DIXIE CONFERENCE INTO THE BEST OF BIG TIME FOOTBALL. MIAMI, ON THE SEMINOLES' SCHEDULE FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS YEAR, WAS RATED ONE OF THE NATION'S GREAT TEAMS OF 1950. THE HURRICANES WON 9, LOST 0 AND TIED 1 LAST YEAR, THEN DROPPED A HEARTBREAKER TO CLEMSON COLLEGE IN THE 1951 ORANGE BOWL GAME BY A 14-15 SCORE.

THE HURRICANES ARE COACHED BY BIG ANDY GUSTAFSON, STAR UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH LINEMAN OF 1923, 1924 AND 1925. BEFORE COMING TO MIAMI GUS WAS HEAD COACH AT V.P.I. WHERE HE WON 25 LOST 10 AND TIED 2 IN FOUR YEARS, AND WAS AN ASSISTANT TO COACH EARL BLAIK AT DARTMOUTH AND AT WEST POINT. IN THREE YEARS AT MIAMI GUSTAFSON'S TEAMS HAVE WON 19, LOST 10 AND TIED 1 GAME. HIS ASSISTANTS THIS YEAR WILL BE HART MORRIS (PITTSBURGH), EDDIE DUNN (MIAMI), WALTER KICHEFSKI (MIAMI) AND BOB BREITENSTEIN (MIAMI OF OHIO).

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI'S COLORS ARE ORANGE, GREEN AND WHITE.

STRONG AS THE HURRICANES WERE LAST SEASON THEY ARE EXPECTED TO BE EVEN BETTER THIS YEAR. WHEN HE TOOK OVER THE MIAMI COACHING REINS IN 1948, COACH GUSTAFSEN DECLARED HE WAS AIMING FOR A GREAT TEAM IN 1951. AGAIN IN 1949 AND LAST YEAR THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI FOLLOWERS POINTED TO 1951 AS THE YEAR THEY WOULD REACH THE PEAK. THIS IS 1951, AND ON PAPER AT LEAST THE HURRICANES FIGURE TO BLOW THE FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES RIGHT OUT OF THE ROSE BOWL OCTOBER 5TH.

COACH GUSTAFSEN HAS 24 LETTERMEN SCHEDULED TO RETURN FROM THE UNDEFEATED 1951 MIAMI GRID SQUAD. THEY ARE JACK HACKETT, MIKE VACCHIO, JOHN BOW, FRANK SMITH, REX SHIVER, BOB SCHNEIDENBACHM WILFRED STOLK, ELMER TREMONT, JIM DOOLEY, HARRY MALLIOS AND JOHN CASTAGNO - BACKS; ARMAND VARI AND BILL DEVEREAUX - CENTERS; RAY ARCANGELETTI, JOHN SUNDERLAND, DON MARIUTO, JOE BARTOLOVICH AND BILL DIAMOND - GUARDS; HAROLD ALLEN, BOB STAFFORD AND CHARLIE GEORGE - TACKLES; ED LUTES, WALTER CHWALIK AND LEO MARTIN - ENDS. SEVERAL OF THIS GROUP, SUCH AS HACKETT, SMITH, SCHNEIDENBACH, ARCANGELETTI, LUTES AND MARTIN ARE SURE TO POLE MANY VOTES WHEN THE NATION'S ALL-STAR TEAMS ARE PICKED NEXT YEAR. OUTSTANDING SOPHOMORES ON THE 1951 MIAMI SQUAD ARE EXPECTED TO BE PUD CONSTANTINO, BILL SMITH, LEO O'BOYLE, GLENN MUGGLER AND GENE BUCCILLI.

MIAMI DEFEATED CITIDEL, VILLANOVA, PURDUE, BOSTON UNIVERSITY, PITTSBURGH, GEORGETOWN, FLORIDA, IOWA AND MISSOURI AND WAS TIED IN A GREAT UPSET BY LOUISVILLE IN 1950. FLORIDA STATE IS RATED THE HURRICANES' SOFTEST TOUCH ON THE 1951 SCHEDULE WHICH ALSO INCLUDES

TULANE, PURDUE, WASHINGTON AND LEE, MISSISSIPPI, KENTUCKY, CHATTANOOGA, FLORIDA, NEBRASKA AND PITTSBURGH. IT IS EASY TO SEE HOW ONE FLORIDA STATE FOLLOWER REFERRED TO THE MIAMI GAME AS A "SCHEDULE ALL BY ITSELF" FOR THE AMBITIOUS SEMINOLES. TOO MANY TOO BIG GUNS!!

DELTA STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE (CLEVELAND, MISS) AT TALLAHASSEE, SATURDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 13, 8:00 PM. THE STATESMEN, WHOSE COLORS ARE GREEN AND WHITE, WILL BE FACING THE FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES FOR THE FIRST TIME AT TALLAHASSEE OCTOBER 13. THEY WON FIVE AND LOST FIVE ON A TOUGH SCHEDULE LAST YEAR, THE HIGHLIGHT OF WHICH WAS AN UPSET 19-13 VICTORY OVER HIGHLY REGARDED MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN COLLEGE.

DELTA STATE USUALLY LIKES TO THROW THE BALL A LOT, AND THIS AERIAL THINKING CAN PROBABLY BE TRACED TO HEAD COACH E. B. "GENE" CHADWICK. CHADWICK, WHEN HE WAS A HALFBACK AT MISSISSIPPI STATE UNDER BERNIE BEIRMAN, WAS ONE OF THE SOUTH'S MOST FEARED PASSERS. THE ASSISTANT COACHES AT DELTA STATE ARE BOBBY BARBOUR (AN ALL-TIME GREAT DELTA STATE FULLBACK OF THE LATE 1940'S), JOHN RAY RICKS (DELTA STATE), AND FOREST "JEFF" WYATT (BEREA COLLEGE). RICKS IS ALSO HEAD BASKETBALL COACH, WHILE WYATT DIRECTS THE STATESMEN IN TENNIS AND TRACK BESIDES HIS FOOTBALL DUTIES.

COACH CHADWICK WILL BUILD THIS YEAR'S DELTA STATE TEAM AROUND 15 RETURNING LETTERMEN. THESE INCLUDE ENDS BOBBY BARRETT, CLARENCE WILKINSON, CLAUDE PORTER AND DOMINIC BEVALAQUE; TACKLES JACK COLBERT AND BOB TERRY; GUARDS STANLEY JOHNSON, DONALD BUCKLEY AND BILLY DEVAULT; CENTER KENNETH FLOYD; QUARTERBACKS FRED FOSTER AND ARTHUR "FATS" DALTON; AND HALFBACKS "WIMPY" REED AND CLAUDE WOODALL. OUTSTANDING LINEMEN IN THIS GROUP ARE CENTER KENNETH FLOYD, A GREAT HIGH SCHOOL STAR WHO HAS CONTINUED HIS FINE PLAY IN COLLEGE, AND SOPHOMORE GUARD BILLY DEVAULT. WOODALL, REED AND BOBBY HEMPHILL, A TRANSFER STUDENT FROM OLE MISS, ARE THE BACKS BEING COUNTED ON TO DO MOST OF THE BALL CARRYING.

DELTA STATE IS RATED BY ALL WHO ARE FAMALIAR WITH THE SQUAD AS "POTENTIALLY A GREATLY IMPROVED BALL CLUB" OVER LAST YEAR. THEY SHOULD BE ROUGH TO HANDLE, PARTICULARILY COMING THE WEEK IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI GAME.

SUL ROSS STATE COLLEGE (ALPINE, TEXAS) AT TALLAHASSEE, SATURDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 20, 8:00 PM. THE SUL ROSS LOBOS, WHOSE COLORS ARE SCARLET AND GRAY, ARE ANOTHER NEW OPPONENT ON THE FLORIDA STATE SCHEDULE -- AND PROBABLY ONE OF THE TOUGHEST. UNDER COACH PAUL E. "RED" PIERCE, A FORMER SUL ROSS STAR, THE LOBOS HAVE TAKEN A PLACE AS ONE OF THE NATION'S OUTSTANDING SMALL COLLEGE TEAMS WITH A RECORD THE PAST THREE YEARS OF 25 VICTORIES, 5 DEFEATS AND TWO TIES. ONE OF THE DEADLOCKS CAME IN THE 1949 TANGERINE BOWL GAME AT ORLANDO WHEN SUL ROSS, UNDEFEATED THAT YEAR, TIED MURRAY STATE OF KENTUCKY 21-21. LAST YEAR THE LOBOS WON 8, LOST 2, TIED 1 AND TOOK THE BORDER

CONFERENCE TITLE FOR THE THIRD STRAIGHT YEAR.

THE LOBOS, AS INDICATED ABOVE, ARE COACHED BY THE COLORFUL RED PIERCE OF FORT STOCKTON, TEXAS. RED COACHED HIGH SCHOOL BALL SUCCESSFULLY AT FABENS, TEXAS, AND AT WINK, TEXAS, BEFORE GOING TO SUL ROSS. HE SERVED IN THE NAVY DURING WORLD WAR II, DURING WHICH PERIOD HE COACHED THE POWERFUL BAINBRIDGE NAVY FOOTBALL TEAM TO NATIONAL PROMINENCE. PIERCE'S ASSISTANTS AT SUL ROSS INCLUDE JACK PERRYMAN (T.C.U.) AND RICHARD "BULL" JOHNSON (BAYLOR).

THE SUL ROSS COACHING STAFF WILL HAVE 16 LETTERMEN RETURNING FOR THE 1951 SEASON, INCLUDING TED SCOWN OF MONAHANS, TEXAS, ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S LEADING SMALL-COLLEGE BACKS. SCOWN MADE ALL THE LITTLE ALL-AMERICA TEAMS IN 1948 AS A FRESHMAN AND HAS BEEN ONE OF THE NATION'S TOP GROUND-GAINERS EACH YEAR AT SUL ROSS. THE OTHER RETURNING LETTERMEN INCLUDE ENDS JAMES CLEVELAND AND ELMER SIX; TACKLES BOB BOYLES, DALE GARNER AND FRANK HARRELL; GUARDS ARTHUR DAWSON AND CHUBBY WELLS; CENTER MIKE FLANIKEN; BACKS CHARLES BOYLES, CLAY CADE, CHARLES LAFFOON, JOE SANCHEZ, DWAIN STACY, DICKIE STREET AND SCOWN. OF THIS GROUP BOB BOYLES, DAWSON, FLANIKEN, GARNER, CHARLIE BOYLES AND LAFOON HAVE BEEN NAMED TO THE ALL BORDER-CONFERENCE TEAM AT ONE TIME OR ANOTHER (AS, OF COURSE, WAS SCOWN).

THE LOBOS ARE DEFINITELY LOADED, AND THEIR GAME WITH FLORIDA STATE AT TALLAHASSEE OCTOBER 20 SHOULD BE ONE OF THE BEST OF THE YEAR.

STETSON UNIVERSITY (DELAND, FLORIDA) AT TALLAHASSEE, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 27, 2:00 PM. HOMECOMING. THE STETSON UNIVERSITY HATTERS ARE FLORIDA STATE'S OLDEST AND BITTEREST RIVALS ON THE GRIDIRON. THE RIVALRY BETWEEN THE TWO SCHOOLS EXTENDS WAY BACK TO THE FIRST OF THE CENTURY, THE SEMINOLES AND HATTERS TYING 5-5 IN 1903 AND FLORIDA STATE (THEN FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE) WINNING 18-6 IN 1904. SINCE FLORIDA STATE BECAME COEDUCATIONAL AGAIN IN 1947 THE SEMINOLES HAVE WON THREE OF THE FOUR GAMES PLAYED. LAST YEAR'S SCORE WAS FLORIDA STATE 27, STETSON 7. STETSON'S COLORS ARE GREEN AND WHITE.

THE HATTERS HAD A VERY SUCCESSFUL SEASON IN 1950 UNDER HEAD COACH JOE MCMULLEN, A FORMER BROWN UNIVERSITY LUMINARY. STETSON WON 8 OF ITS 10 GAMES, BEING "UPSET" BY TAMPA AS WELL AS FLORIDA STATE. BEFORE COMING TO STETSON MCMULLEN WAS AN ASSISTANT COACH AT BROWN AND AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO. HIS ASSISTANTS ARE JAY PATTEE (BROWN), AND ANOTHER TO BE ANNOUNCED LATER.

THE HATTER OFFENSE THIS YEAR PROBABLY WILL BE AN AERIAL GAME BUILT AROUND THEIR ALL-AMERICA HONORABLE MENTION QUARTERBACK, BILL JOHNSON OF TOLEDO, OHIO. ON THE RECEIVING END ARE EXPECTED TO BE DAVE LAUDE, WHO CAUGHT 28 PASSES LAST SEASON FOR 7 TOUCHDOWNS; DON MARTIN, WHO TOOK 12; AND JIM YONGE, 6-FOOT 8-INCH ALL-STATE BASKETBALL CENTER WHO SAW LIMITED SERVICE WITH THE 1950 FOOTBALL SQUAD. KEY MAN ON DEFENSE WILL BE GUARD B. J. LEATHERS WHO WAS NAMED ON SEVERAL LITTLE

ALL-AMERICA TEAMS IN 1950.

OTHER RETURNING LETTERMEN AT STETSON INCLUDE ENDS JOE RAFFAELE AND GUIDO TAMBUR; TACKLES DEL REINKE, RON FAZEKAS, DICK HENDRY, CLARENCE HUGHES AND GEORGE JOCHEM; GUARDS KERMIT COBLE AND SONNY PARRISH; CENTERS TOM GIBSON AND JIM KING; BACKS FULMER ARMSTRONG, RON DELILLA, JERRY GALLAGHER, WILLI HAN, ROD LONSINGER, BOBBY MARKS AND FRANK SINGLETARY. OF THE LETTERMEN MCMULLEN WILL HAVE AVAILABLE WILL BE SIX MEN WHO STARTED THE 1950 FLORIDA STATE-STETSON GAME -- MARTIN, LAUDE, HENDRY, LEATHERS, JOHNSON AND ARMSTRONG.

STETSON, WHERE MCMULLEN USES THE FANCY "WINGED T" ATTACK SO EFFECTIVELY, HAS NEVER DEFEATED A VELLER COACHED FLORIDA STATE TEAM. THE HATTERS ARE SURE TO BE WELL PRIMED AND ANXIOUS TO DO A SPOILER'S JOB WHEN THEY TANGLE WITH THE SEMINOLES ON HOMECOMING DAY AT TALLAHASSEE ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 27.

JACKSONVILLE NAVAL AIR STATION (JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA) AT JACKSONVILLE, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 3, 2:30 PM. WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO GATHER BUT LITTLE PRE-SEASON DOPE ON THE 1951 JACKSONVILLE NAVAL AIR STATION FLIERS AS THEIR PERSONNEL IS NOT SET AS THIS BROCHURE IS COMPILED. DURING WORLD WAR II THE JAX NAVY FOOTBALL TEAMS WERE AMONG THE BEST IN THE NATION, AND IT IS RUMORED THAT THE FLIERS WILL BE GETTING BACK TO THAT KIND OF STRENGTH AGAIN THIS SEASON. JACKSONVILLE NAVY WILL BE COACHED THIS YEAR BY LIEUTENANT COMMANDER HARRY KNICKELBINE. N O T E: GAME TIME CHANGED TO 2:00 PM.

WOFFORD COLLEGE (SPARTANBURG, S. C.) AT TALLAHASSEE, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 10, 2:00 PM. THE WOFFORD COLLEGE TERRIERS, WHOSE COLORS ARE OLD GOLD AND BLACK, HAVE ONE OF THE BEST FOOTBALL RECORDS IN THE NATION FOR THE PAST FOUR YEARS. PLAYING A SCHEDULE THAT INCLUDES AT LEAST A COUPLE OF SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE OR SOUTHERN CONFERENCE SCHOOLS EACH YEAR, THE TERRIERS HAVE WON 28 GAMES, LOST 8 AND TIED 6 IN THE FOUR SEASONS PHIL DICKENS HAS BEEN HEAD COACH. WOFFORD WAS UNDEFEATED AND UNTIED FOR 11 GAMES IN 1949 (DEFEATED BY FLORIDA STATE IN THE CIGAR BOWL THAT SEASON), AND THE TERRIERS WON 7, LOST 2 AND TIED 1 LAST YEAR. OUTSTANDING VICTORY IN 1950 WAS A 19-14 UPSET OF AUBURN UNIVERSITY.

PHIL DICKENS, LIKE SO MANY SUCCESSFUL COACHES IN THE SOUTH TODAY, IS A FORMER UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE STAR HALFBACK WHERE HE WAS AN ALL-SOUTHERN SELECTION AND NAMED TENNESSEE'S OUTSTANDING ATHLETE IN 1936. PHIL IS ALSO REMEMBERED FOR AN OCCASION WHEN HE SCORED 96 POINTS IN ONE GAME AS A HIGH SCHOOL BACK. ASSISTANT COACHES AT WOFFORD ARE JOEL ROBERTSON (WOFFORD), CLAYTON "STUD" STAPLETON (U. OF TENNESSEE), AND WILBUR STEVENS (WOFFORD)

THE WOFFORD COACHING STAFF WILL HAVE PLENTY OF EXPERIENCED MATERIAL TO WORK WITH THIS SEASON WITH 21 LETTERMEN SCHEDULED TO RETURN. THE LETTERMEN ARE ENDS GERALD MOODY, DENNIS BARBARE, CO-CAPTAIN JIM GORDON AND JACK ABELL; TACKLES STUART SHUFORD, BILL THUS-

TON, BILL VARNER AND BILL KELLY; GUARDS GLENN MILLER, CO-CAPTAIN BOB POLLARD AND BILL BARRINGER; CENTERS JOHN CHAMBERS AND BILL SMALL; FULLBACKS BOB MCLELLAN, BURNIE MILLER AND GABBY WILES; TAILBACKS BOB STARNES AND JACK BEELER; WINGBACKS DAVE RICE, RODDY POWERS AND JIMMY BROCK.

STRONGEST SPOT ON PAPER IN PRE-SEASON FIGURING SEEMS TO BE THE I PORTANT TAILBACK SLOT WHERE COACH DICKENS HAS BOB STARNES, WHO WAS THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA'S TOP SCORER IN 1949 BUT WAS HURT MOST OF LAST SEASON, AND PASS-HAPPY JACK BEELER RETURNING. NEWCOMERS WHO LOOKED WELL IN SPRING DRILLS WERE ELI SANDERS AND JODY ELLIS. POLLARD AT GUARD IS ALSO RATED ONE OF THE FINEST LINEMEN IN THE SOUTH AND IS EXPECTED TO SPEARHEAD THE WOFFORD FORWARD WALL.

THE TERRIERS RUN USUALLY FROM A MODIFIED TENNESSEE SINGLE WING WITH PLENTY OF FLANKERS, MEN IN MOTION AND OTHER TRICKY DEVICES TO UPSET THE OPPONENTS. AND UPSET THE OPPONENT IS JUST WHAT THE TERRIERS HOPE TO DO WHEN THEY TANGLE WITH THE FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES IN TALLAHASSEE NOVEMBER 10. THEY STILL REMEMBER WITHOUT ONE BIT OF PLEASURE THE SURPRISE LICKING THEY TOOK FROM FLORIDA STATE AT TAMPA ON JANUARY 2, 1950.

UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA (TAMPA, FLORIDA) AT TAMPA, SATURDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 17, 8:00 PM. THE TAMPA SPARTANS, WHOSE SCHOOL COLORS ARE RED, BLACK AND GOLD, ANNOUNCED PUBLICALLY SOMETIME IN AUGUST THAT THEIR NUMBER ONE OBJECTIVE THIS YEAR IS TO UPSET THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY SEMINOLES -- SOMETHING THEY HAVN'T BEEN ABLE TO DO IN THREE PREVIOUS YEARS OF TRYING. HEAD COACH FRANKIE SINKWICH WILL HAVE 20 OF LAST YEAR'S LETTERMEN BACK FOR ANOTHER TRY, PLUS THE STALWARTS HE IS ABLE TO GATHER ON THE TOUR OF THE "SINKWICH CIRCUS" BUS. THAT TOUR LAST YEAR PRODUCED SUCH FINE BALL PLAYERS AS VINCE CHICKO, LOU SEQUELLA AND JOHN LAHOSKY AMONG OTHERS AND COULD MAKE THE SPARTANS MIGHTY ROUGH IN 1951. LAST YEAR UNDER SINKWICH THE SPARTANS WON 5 GAMES AND LOST 4, A REMARKABLE COMEBACK FOR A SQUAD WHICH HAD DROPPED ALL NINE OF ITS STARTS THE PREVIOUS SEASON.

TAMPA HEAD COACH FRANK SINKWICH IS WELL KNOWN TO EVERY FOOTBALL FAN AS ONE OF UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA'S ALL-TIME GREAT STARS, AND ALSO AN OUTSTANDING PLAYER IN PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL WITH THE DETROIT LIONS, NEW YORK YANKEES AND BALTIMORE COLTS. AMONG THE HONORS HE WON AS A PLAYER WERE THE HEICHMAN TROPHY, ALL-AMERICA A COUPLE OF YEARS AND THE NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE'S "MOST VALUABLE PLAYER" AWARD. HIS ASSISTANT COACHES ARE JPHN VARDIAN (FROM PRO BALL), SAM BAILEY (GEORGIA) AND MARCELINA HUERTA (FLORIDA).

THE 20 RETURNING LETTERMEN WHO WILL FORM THE NUCLEUS OF TAMPA'S 1951 FOOTBALL SQUAD ARE ENDS HOLLAND APLIN, H. L. HEIRS AND JIM MITCHELL; TACKLES ERNEST REID, TOM MAHIN AND BOB LOVELY; GUARDS JACK MARLEY, SAM PULEO AND ERNEST RUBIO; HALFBACKS K. O. ROYAL, GENE KING, CHARLES HARRIS, VINCE CHICKO AND LOU SEQUELLA; FULLBACKS JIM MATHIS, FRANK SINKWICH (NO KIN TO THE COACH) AND TOM BATTAGLIA; QUARTERBACKS JOHN LAHOSKY, DAN SLIMAN AND FRED PANCOAST. OF THESE PLAYERS 14 WERE

IN THE STARTING OFFENSIVE OR DEFENSIVE LINEUPS FOR TAMPA AS THE SPARTANS LOST TO FLORIDA STATE 19-35 LAST YEAR. THE TAMPA TEAM, IN THAT GAME, BECAME THE FIRST SCHOOL TO SCORE THREE TOUCHDOWNS AGAINST A VELLER COACHED FLORIDA STATE FOOTBALL SQUAD.

THE TAMPA SPARTANS RUN USUALLY FROM A TIGHT T FORMATION, WITH THE USUAL VARIATIONS. THEIR ATTACK UNDER SINKWICH HAS PROVEN TO BE BOTH POWERFUL AND TRICKY WITH A TENDECY TO THROW THE BALL A LOT AND BREAK SUCH FINE BACKS AS SEQUELLA AND CHICKO AWAY FOR LONG GAINS. MANY FLORIDA FOOTBALL FANS WHO KNOW THE GAME POINT TO THE FLORIDA STATE-TAMPA GET-TOGATHER AT TAMPA NOVEMBER 17 AS ONE OF THE PROBABLE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE 1951 FOOTBALL SEASON.

BRADLEY UNIVERSITY (PEORIA, ILLINOIS) AT TALLAHASSEE, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 24, 2:00 PM. THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY SEMINOLES WILL CLOSE THEIR 1951 FOOTBALL SEASON AGAINST ANOTHER NEW OPPONENT, THE BRADLEY UNIVERSITY BRAVES. THE BRAVES, WHOSE COLORS ARE RED AND WHITE, ARE MEMBERS OF THE STRONG MISSOURI VALLEY CONFERENCE. IN 1950 THEY BROKE EVEN ON THEIR 10-GAME SCHEDULE, GAINING WINS OVER RIPON, COLORADO STATE, WAYNE, NEW MEXICO AND CALIFORNIA POLY WHILE LOSING TO BOWLING GREEN, WICHITA, TOLEDO, TULSA AND DRAKE.

THE BRADLEY BRAVES WILL BE COACHED THIS YEAR BY BERNARD "BUS" MERTES, FORMER UNIVERSITY OF IOWA STAR. MERTES ALSO PLAYED THREE YEARS FOR THE FAMOUS IOWA SEA HAWKS AND WAS NAMED ON THE 1941 ALL-SERVICE TEAM. HE PLAYED PROFESSIONAL BALL WITH THE CHICAGO CARDINALS, THE LOS ANGELOS DONS, THE BALTIMORE COLTS AND THE NEW YORK GIANTS, AND WAS AN ASSISTANT COACH AT IOWA UNDER EDDY ANDERSON. THE BRADLEY ASSISTANTS INCLUDE TONY JUSKA (PURDUE), LEO SCHRALL (NOTRE DAME), CHARLES LARSON (CULVER-STOCKTON).

NEW COACH MERTES WILL HAVE PLENTY OF EXPERIENCED MATERIAL TO WORK WITH THIS FALL AS THE BRAVES HAVE 26 LETTERMEN SCHEDULED TO RETURN. THE LETTERMEN ARE ENDS LEO DAVIS, GIL BELL AND ARNOLD VAN ETTEN; TACKLES BILL ZIMMER, RALPH BARCLAY, HERB HACKER, RONALD HALL AND KEN WEEKS; GUARDS MORGAN DOWNING, BOB LUEDERS, DON POWERS, KENNETH WELLS AND BILL BUSHELL; CENTERS BILL ROBERTSON, GEORGE STIMAC AND DON WALZ; QUARTERBACKS HARRY LEVONIAN AND BOB WATSON; HALFBACKS WALTER INGRAM, JIM PHILBEE, BOB SLACK, JIM HEINIGER, GERALD JACOBS AND DAVE SHELTON; AND GULLBACKS BOB HORWATH AND BOB KUMPF.

OUTSTANDING PLAYERS ON THE BRADLEY SQUAD THIS SEASON ARE EXPECTED TO INCLUDE WALT INGRAM, THE POWERFUL RUNNER FROM SPRINGFIELD LANPHIER; BILL ZIMMER, HARRISBURG'S OX-LIKE TACKLE; AND JIM PHILBEE, THE LEAN, SPEEDY HALFBACK FROM PEORIA MANUAL. RON LITTLE AND JIM ELMES FROM LAST YEAR'S FRESHMAN SQUAD, BOTH BACKS, ARE EXPECTED TO HELP THE ATTACK, ALONG WITH SEVERAL OUTSTANDING FRESHMEN WHO WILL BE ELIGIBLE TO PLAY THIS YEAR UNDER A NEW MISSOURI VALLEY CONFERENCE REGULATION. THIS, THE LAST GAME ON THE FLORIDA STATE SCHEDULE, COULD PROVE TO BE THE BEST.

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY 1950

FSU	TEAM STATISTICS	OPPONENTS
8	GAMES PLAYED	8
125	FIRST DOWNS	78
420	CARRIED RUSHING	352
2076	GAINED RUSHING	1075
269	LOST RUSHING	257
1807	NET GAIN RUSHING	818
225.9	AVERAGE PER GAME RUSHING	102.2
119	ATTEMPTS PASSING	138
44	COMPLETED	60
.370	PASS COMPLETION AVERAGE	.435
12	HAD INTERCEPTED	19
939	NET GAIN PASSING	572
117.4	AVERAGE PER GAME PASSING	71.5
539	NUMBER PLAYS, TOTAL OFFENSE	490
2746	NET GAIN TOTAL OFFENSE	1390
43	NUMBER TIMES PUNTED	63
1482	TOTAL YARDS PUNTED	2063
34.4	AVERAGE PER KICK	32.7
33	TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	8
33	CONVERSIONS ATTEMPTED	8
19	CONVERSIONS MADE	4
0	FIELD GOALS	0
1	SAFETIES	1
219	TOTAL POINTS	54
27.4	AVERAGE POINTS PER GAME	6.75

FLORIDA STATE WON 8, LOST 0, TIED 0.

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING

	CARRIED	GAINED	LOST	NET GAIN	AVERAGE
MIKE SELLERS, FB	130	597	19	578	4.4
NELSON ITALIANO, HB	76	485	61	424	5.6
DICK TURK, FB	56	286	7	279	5.0
EDDIE GRAY, HB	39	179	33	146	3.7
DICK PETERSON, HB	22	99	15	84	3.8
TOMMY BROWN, HB	12	77	2	75	6.3
HARRY BRINGGER, HB	31	78	19	59	1.9

PASSING

	Att.	Completed	Percent Completed	Intercepted	Net Gain	TD Passes
Nelson Italiano, HB	39	16	.410	3	459	8
Dick Peterson, HB	13	7	.538	1	169	2
Gary Folsom, HB	15	5	.333	2	97	1
Wayne Benner, HB	13	3	.231	1	61	0

TOTAL OFFENSE

	Attempts	Net Yds Rushing	Net Yds Passing	Total Yards
Nelson Italiano, HB	115	424	459	883
Mike Sellers, FB	139	578	46	624
Dick Turk, FB	56	279	0	279

PASS RECEIVING

	Caught	Yds Gained	TD Passes
Harry Bringger, HB	5	246	5
Eddie Gray, HB	9	234	2
Norman Eubanks, E	13	175	0
Clint Thomas, E	5	72	1
Ted Hewitt, E	4	56	0

PUNTING

	Number Punts	Yards Punted	Avg. Yards Per Punt	Had Blocked
Wayne Benner, HB	8	315	39.4	0
Nelson Italiano, HB	10	350	35.0	0
Tommy Brown, HB	22	734	33.2	0

SCORING

	Touchdowns	Attempted Conversions	Conversions	Total Points
Mike Sellers, FB	9	0	0	54
Nelson Italiano, HB	5	0	0	30
Harry Bringger, HB	5	0	0	30
Dick Turk, FB	4	0	0	24
Ernie Huggett, HB	0	33	19	19

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THE 1950 SEASON IN REVIEW

THE 1950 FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM BROUGHT THE SCHOOL NATION-WIDE RECOGNITION AS THE SEMINOLES WON THE DIXIE CONFERENCE TITLE FOR THE THIRD STRAIGHT YEAR AND BECAME THE FIRST WHITE COLLEGE ELEVEN IN THE HISTORY OF FLORIDA TO COMPLETE A FULL VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE UNDEFEATED AND UNTIED. THE SEMINOLES WON EIGHT STRAIGHT GAMES, RUNNING THEIR WINNING STREAK OVER A TWO-YEAR PERIOD TO 12 IN A ROW. FLORIDA STATE, IN THREE YEARS UNDER COACH DON VELLER, HAS WON 24 GAMES, LOST ONLY 2 AND TIED NONE. BOTH LOSSES, TO ERSKINE IN 1948 AND LIVINGSTON STATE IN 1949, WERE BY ONE TOUCHDOWN MARGINS.

PERHAPS IT SHOULD BE NOTED HERE THAT AFTER COMPLETELY DOMINATING THE LOOP FOR THREE YEAR, FLORIDA STATE HAS RESIGNED FROM THE NON-SUBSIDIZING DIXIE CONFERENCE AND WILL OPERATE AS AN INDEPENDENT TEAM IN 1951-1952. A LIMITED NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE OFFERED AT FLORIDA STATE THIS COMING YEAR FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE SCHOOL'S HISTORY.

THE 1950 SEASON GAME BY GAME

FLORIDA STATE 26, TROY STATE 7, AT TROY, ALA. THE SEMINOLES LED ALL THE WAY IN RACKING UP THEIR THIRD STRAIGHT WIN OVER THE RED WAVE OF TROY STATE. FLORIDA STATE SCORED TWICE IN THE FIRST QUARTER, AND ONE TOUCHDOWN EACH IN THE SECOND AND THIRD PERIODS. TROY GOT ITS TOUCHDOWN LATE IN THE FINAL STANZA AGAINST FLORIDA STATE SUBS. THE SEMINOLES PILED UP 16 FIRST DOWNS TO 11 FOR TROY, GOT A NET 302 YARDS RUSHING TO TROY'S 156, AND 149 YARDS THROUGH THE AIR TO 39 FOR THE RED WAVE. DICK TURK, FLORIDA STATE SUBSTITUTE FULLBACK, WAS LEADING GROUND-GAINER WITH 109 YARDS, FOLLOWED BY STARTING FULLBACK MIKE SELLERS OF THE SEMINOLES WHO GOT 62 YARDS. FLORIDA STATE TOUCHDOWNS WERE SCORED BY TOMMY BROWN ON A 2-YARD REVERSE END SWEEP AFTER END JIMMY ARNOLD HAD SET THINGS UP BY BLOCKING A TROY PUNT AND RECOVERING THE BALL ON THE RED WAVE 13; BY BROWN AGAIN ON A PASS FROM DICK PETERSON THAT COVERED 49 YARDS; BY MIKE SELLERS ON A 24-YARD JAUNT RIGHT DOWN THE MIDDLE; AND BY DICK TURK ON A 1-YARD PLUNGE AFTER ARNOLD HAD AGAIN SET THINGS UP BY BLOCKING A PUNT WHICH WAS RECOVERED ON THE TROY 20. FLORIDA STATE WAS ON THE TROY 1 YARD LINE WHEN THE GAME ENDED.

FLORIDA STATE 40, RANDOLPH-MACON 7, AT TALLAHASSEE. THE SEMINOLES MADE THEIR HOME OPENER A SUCCESSFUL ONE BY TROUNCING WELL REGARDED RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE OF VIRGINIA 40 TO 7 IN NEW DOAK S. CAMPBELL STADIUM. FLORIDA STATE STARTED SLOWLY, GETTING ONE TOUCHDOWN IN THE FIRST QUARTER, ROMPED FOR FOUR IN THE SECOND PERIOD, THEN CLOSED THE SCORING WITH A SINGLE MARKER IN THE THIRD CHAPTER. THE

STATISTICS GAVE FLORIDA STATE AS WIDE A MARGIN AS THE SCORE, THE SEMINOLES BEING CREDITED WITH 23 FIRST DOWNS TO 10 FOR RANDOLPH-MACON; 348 YARDS RUSHING TO 142; AND 84 YARDS PASSING TO 49 FOR THE VISITORS. MIKE SELLERS WAS FLORIDA STATE'S LEADING GROUND GAINER WITH 110 YARDS AND NELSON ITALIANO PICKED UP 54. VETERANS BILL DAWKINS AND DUB KENDRICK WERE OUTSTANDING ON DEFENSE. SELLERS GOT THE FIRST TWO FSU TOUCHDOWNS ON PLUNGES OF 7 AND 4 YARDS, AND DICK PETERSON WENT 7 YARDS AT RIGHT TACKLE FOR THE THIRD. DICK TURK PICKED UP THE FOURTH MARKER ON TWO TRIES FROM THE RANDOLPH-MACON 17, THEN NELSON ITALIANO CLIMAXED A SEMINOLE DRIVE WITH A 1-YARD SCORING PLUNGE TO MAKE THE HALF-TIME SCORE FLORIDA STATE 34, R-M 7. EDDIE GRAY GOT THE FINAL SEMINOLE TOUCHDOWN IN THE THIRD QUARTER ON A PASS FROM DICK PETERSON, THE PLAY COVERING 25 YARDS. FLORIDA STATE SUBSTITUTES HELD THE VISITORS EVEN THE FOURTH QUARTER. PERHAPS WE SHOULD NOTE HERE THAT RANDOLPH-MACON FINISHED THE REST OF ITS SEASON WITH ONLY 1 MORE DEFEAT AND WON THE MASON-DIXON INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE TITLE.

FLORIDA STATE 20, HOWARD COLLEGE 6, AT TALLAHASSEE. AN UNDERRATED, BATTLING HOWARD COLLEGE ELEVEN GAVE THE SEMINOLES A REAL SCRAP BEFORE THEY SNAPPED OUT OF IT TO WIN 20-6. PLAYING A 7-MAN LINE THAT STOPPED THE FLORIDA STATE RUNNING ATTACK COLD IN THE FIRST QUARTER, THE VISITING BULLDOGS HAD A 6-0 LEAD EARLY IN THE SECOND CHAPTER. THE SLUGGISH SEMINOLES, WHO HAD BEEN LIVING ON THEIR PRESS NOTICES OF THE RANDOLPH-MACON GAME TO THAT POINT, RALLIED TO SCORE TWICE IN THE SECOND STANZA AND ONCE IN THE THIRD. FLORIDA STATE SET THE PACE IN FIRST DOWNS 18 TO 11, RUSHING 185 YARDS TO 67, AND PASSING 137 YARDS TO 83. MIKE SELLERS WAS LEADING GROUND-GAINER WITH 130 YARDS WHILE JIM ARNOLD, DWIGHT OSHA AND DUB KENDRICK WERE THE DEFENSIVE STARS. AFTER HOWARD HAD TAKE ITS 6-0 LEAD EARLY IN THE SECOND QUARTER, FLORIDA STATE GOT GOING WITH THE ENSUING KICKOFF. SELLERS GOT THE FINAL YARD AT RIGHT GUARD. NELSON ITALIANO SCORED AGAIN FOR THE SEMINOLES ON A 1-YARD PLUNGE A FEW MINUTES LATER TO CLIMAX ANOTHER FLORIDA STATE DRIVE AND THE HALF ENDED FLORIDA STATE 13, HOWARD 6. SELLERS, WHO WAS ONE OF THE STATE'S TOP INTERCOLLEGIATE SCORERS ALL SEASON, GOT THE LAST FLORIDA STATE TOUCHDOWN ON A TWO-YARD DIVE IN THE THIRD CHAPTER. ITALIANO WENT 52 YARDS ON A BEAUTIFUL RUN FOR AN APPARENT SCORE IN THE LAST QUARTER, BUT THE PLAY WAS CALLED BACK AND FLORIDA STATE PENALIZED. THIS WAS A DIXIE CONFERENCE GAME.

FLORIDA STATE 24, NEWBERRY 0, AT NEWBERRY, S. C. THE FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES SCORED IN EVERY QUARTER TO TRIM THE NEWBERRY INDIANS 24-0 IN A RAINY CONTEST AT NEWBERRY. SPECTATORS OF THIS ONE, IN ADDITION TO THE COLD AND WET, WILL PROBABLY REMEMBER IT AS THE GAME WHERE THE OFFICIALS TOOK OVER MUCH OF THE SPOTLIGHT. PLAYING "DROP THE HANDKERCHIEF" ALL THROUGH THE CONTEST, THE OFFICIALS TAGGED FSU

190 YARDS ON PENALTIES AND GOT NEWBERRY FOR 110. MOST OF THE INFRACTIONS CALLED AGAINST BOTH TEAMS WERE MINOR -- SUCH AS BACKS IN MOTION AND OFF-SIDES. STATISTICALLY SPEAKING, FLORIDA STATE RACKED UP 18 FIRST DOWNS TO 8 FOR NEWBERRY; GAINED 304 YARDS RUSHING TO 97; AND PASSED FOR 95 YARDS TO NEWBERRY'S 65. NELSON ITALIANO WAS THE INDIVIDUAL GROUND-GAINING LEADER WITH 119 YARDS, FOLLOWED BY MIKE SELLERS WITH 89. THE DEFENSIVE STARS WERE BILL DAWKINS, DWIGHT OSHA, EARL O'NEAL, DUB KENDRICK, HARRY BRINGGER AND WAYNE BENNER (THE LATTER TWO ON PASS DEFENSE, PARTICULARILY). FLORIDA STATE SCORED SHORTLY AFTER THE OPENING KICKOFF, THE FINAL 80 YARDS BEING PICKED UP ON A PASS FROM NELSON ITALIANO TO EDDIE GRAY. ITALIANO WENT 33 YARDS OFF TACKLE FOR THE SECOND TOUCHDOWN. HARRY BRINGGER'S 35-YARD PUNT RETURN TO THE NEWBERRY 40 SET UP THE THIRD FLORIDA STATE SCORE WHICH DICK TURK GOT FROM THE 1, AND ITALIANO PASSED 20 YARDS TO PUDGE THOMAS IN THE FOURTH QUARTER FOR THE FINAL MARKER.

FLORIDA STATE 14, UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH (SEWANEE) 8, AT TALLAHASSEE. THE FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES CAME INTO THIS GAME THINKING MORE ABOUT PRESS RELEASES ON A POSSIBLE MEETING WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, AND OTHER PROPOSED FUTURE CONTESTS, THAN THE GAME AT HAND AND ALMOST GOT UPSET. A FIGHTING SEWANEE TIGER HELD THE SEMINOLES EVEN THROUGH A SCORELESS FIRST HALF, WENT AHEAD ON A SAFETY IN THE THIRD QUARTER 2-0, BUT COULDN'T HOLD THE ADVANTAGE AS FLORIDA STATE FINALLY DECIDED TO PLAY BALL. FLORIDA STATE SCORED SINGLE TOUCHDOWNS IN THE THIRD AND FOURTH QUARTERS, THEN THE REGULARS SAT ON THE SIDELINES WHILE SEWANEE SCORED AGAIN IN THE CLOSING MINUTES AGAINST SEMINOLE SUBS. STATISTICALLY FLORIDA STATE HAD 11 FIRST DOWNS TO 7 FOR SEWANEE; GAINED 164 YARDS RUSHING TO 67; AND THE TIGERS LED IN YARDS GAINED PASSING 91 TO 43 FOR FLORIDA STATE. NELSON ITALIANO WITH 85 YARDS WAS THE LEADING GROUNDGAINER WHILE BILL DAWKINS, PLAYING ONE OF HIS GREATEST GAMES, WAS OUTSTANDING ON DEFENSE. AFTER SEWANEE TOOK ITS 2-0 LEAD EARLY IN THE THIRD QUARTER, TED HEWITT CHANGED THE PICTURE FOR FLORIDA STATE BY INTERCEPTING A TIGER PASS AND GALLOPING 54 YARDS BEHIND FINE BLOCKING FOR THE INITIAL SEMINOLE SCORE. AFTER PUSHING THE TIGERS BACK TO THEIR OWN GOAL LINE, THE SEMINOLES THEN PUT THE GAME ON ICE WITH A FOURTH PERIOD SCORE THAT WAS SET UP BY WAYNE BENNER'S 15 YARD PUNT RETURN TO THE SEWANEE 20. NELSON ITALIANO WENT THE FINAL 13 YARDS FOR THE MARKER.

FLORIDA STATE 27, STETSON 7, AT DELAND, FLA. THE SEMINOLES, WHO HAD PLAYED THEIR WORST GAME OF THE SEASON AGAINST SEWANEE TWO WEEKS PREVIOUSLY, PLAYED THEIR BEST AGAINST A HIGHLY RATED STETSON TEAM AT DELAND. TAKING THE KICKOFF AND STRIKING WITH AMAZING QUICKNESS, THE SEMINOLES HAD RECKED UP TWO TOUCHDOWNS TO LEAD 13-0 IN THE FIRST 4 MINUTES OF PLAY. STETSON ALSO SCORED IN THE FIRST QUARTER TO MAKE IT 13-7, BUT THE FLORIDA STATE SQUAD ADDED SINGLE TOUCHDOWNS IN THE SECOND AND FOURTH QUARTERS TO WIN GOING AWAY. THE STATISTICS SHOWED

FLORIDA STATE GOT 12 FIRST DOWNS TO 10 FOR STETSON; GAINED 215 YARDS RUSHING TO 134; AND 161 YARDS PASSING TO 64 FOR THE HATTERS. WITH THE FLORIDA STATE GROUND GAINING WELL DIVIDED AMONG SEVERAL BACKS AND ENDS, NORMAN EUBANKS LED THE WAY WITH 40 YARDS, FOLLOWED BY ITALIANO WHO HAD 39. DEFENSIVELY LINE BACKERS BILL DAWKINS AND MIKE SELLERS SHARED HONORS WITH PASS DEFENDERS TOMMY BROWN AND WAYNE BENNER. FSU STARTED THE SCORING PARADE ON A PASS FROM NELSON ITALIANO TO BILL DRIVER THAT COVERED 15 YARDS TO PAYDIRT WHEN THE GAME WAS ONLY 2½ MINUTES OLD. THEN, JUST 90 SECOND LATER, TED HEWITT INTERCEPTED A STETSON PASS WHICH HE RETURNED 54 YARDS TO THE HATTER'S 1 FROM WHERE MIKE SELLERS PLUNGED FOR THE SCORE. STETSON GOT ITS ONLY TOUCHDOWN FOLLOWING A FLORIDA STATE PUNT FUMBLE THIS SAME EXCITING QUARTER TO MAKE THE SCORE FLORIDA STATE 13, STETSON 7 GOING INTO THE SECOND PERIOD. LATE IN THE SECOND QUARTER BROWN INTERCEPTED A STETSON PASS AND RETURNED IT 31 YARDS TO THE FLORIDA STATE 43. ON THE NEXT PLAY, WHICH WAS THE LAST ONE OF THE FIRST HALF, ITALIANO PASSED TO HARRY BRINGGER FOR THE SCORE, THE PLAY COVERING 57 YARDS. FLORIDA STATE APPARENTLY COASTED IN THE THIRD QUARTER, BUT BROWN STARTED THINGS ROLLING AGAIN IN THE LAST CHAPTER WHEN HE AGAIN INTERCEPTED A STETSON PASS AND RETURNED IT 36 YARDS TO THE HATTER'S 14. DRIVER WENT 12 YARDS ON AN END-AROUND FRON THERE AND SELLERS SCORED FROM THE TWO.

FLORIDA STATE 33, MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE 0, AT TALLAHASSEE. THE MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE CHOCTAWS BROUGHT A SIX-GAME WINNING STREAK TO TALLAHASSEE BUT DIDN'T HAVE THE GUNS TO TAKE THE ALERT SEMINOLES OF FLORIDA STATE. THIS WAS THE FINAL GAME PLAYED BY A FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM IN THE DIXIE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE AND GAVE THE SEMINOLES A THREE-YEAR UNDEFEATED MARK IN THE CIRCUIT. STATISTICALLY THE CHOCTAWS DID BETTER THAN ON THE SCOREBOARD. FLORIDA STATE REGISTERED 15 FIRST DOWNS TO 14 FOR MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE; GAINED 145 YARDS RUSHING TO 82; AND 186 YARDS PASSING TO 98. SELLERS WITH 42 YARDS WAS THE LEADING GROUND GAINER AS ONCE AGAIN ALL THE FLORIDA STATE BACKS GOT IN ON THE FUN. DEFENSIVE STANDOUTS INCLUDED BILL DAWKINS, MIKE SELLERS, MAC HUEY, BOB SCHMELZ AND BOB WODRICH. FLORIDA STATE GOT ITS FIRST TOUCHDOWN AS RESULT OF A SHORT PASS FROM NELSON ITALIANO TO HARRY BRINGGER, THE LATTER GOING ALL THE WAY ON A PLAY THAT COVERED 76 YARDS. A 45-YARD PUNT RETURN BY TOMMY BROWN TO THE MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE 8 SET UP THE NEXT SCORE WHICH MIKE SELLERS GOT AT RIGHT TACKLE. THE ITALIANO TO BRINGGER COMBINATION CLICKED ONCE AGAIN IN THE FIRST HALF, THIS TIME COVERING 49 YARDS FOR A MARKER. IN THE SECOND HALF TOMMY BROWN AGAIN STARTED A TOUCHDOWN DRIVE WITH A 24-YARD PUNT RETURN TO THE CHOCTAW'S 35. DICK TURK GOT THE FINAL 2 YARDS FOR THIS ONE. FLORIDA STATE RESERVES MARCHED 66 YARDS FOR THE FINAL SEMINOLE SCORE WHICH WAS CLIMAXED BY GARY FOLSOM'S 16-YARD PASS TO CLIFF POWELL IN THE END ZONE.

FLORIDA STATE 35, UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA 19, AT TALLAHASSEE. THIS

GAME WILL BE REMEMBERED BY SPORTS HISTORIANS AS ONE OF THE COLDEST AND ONE OF THE MOST EXCITING EVER PLAYED IN FLORIDA STATE'S DOAK S. CAMPBELL STADIUM. WITH THE THERMOMETER DOWN TO AROUND 16 DEGREES AND ICICLES HANGING FRON A NEARBY WATER TANK OVERLOOKING THE FIELD, THE TWO TEAMS RACKED UP EIGHT TOUCHDOWNS BETWEEN THEM. FLORIDA STATE FINALLY TOOK THE GAME WITH 3 SCORES IN FOUR MINUTES AND 8 SECONDS OF THE WILD FOURTH QUARTER AFTER TAMPA HAD TIED UP THE CONTEST 13-13 WITH A QUICK THIRD PERIOD TOUCHDOWN. THE STATISTICS SHOW FLORIDA STATE WITH 13 FIRST DOWNS TO 7 FOR TAMPA; THE SEMINOLES GAINED 247 YARDS RUSHING TO 112 FOR THE SPARTANS; AND TAMPA GOT 89 YARDS PASSING TO 66 FOR FLORIDA STATE. MAC HUEY, BILL DAWKINS, BOB WODRICH, DWIGHT OSHA, BOB SCHMELZ AND JIM ARNOLD WERE THE FLORIDA STATE STANDOUTS ON DEFENSE. A TAMPA FUMBLE ON ITS OWN 5-YARD LINE RECOVERED BY BOB SCHMELZ SET UP THE INITIAL FLORIDA STATE SCORE WHICH WENT TO MIKE SELLERS ON A SHORT PLUNGE. A BAD TAMPA PUNT THAT WENT OUT OF BOUNDS ON THE SPARTANS' 31 YARD LINE PAVED THE WAY FOR THE SECOND SCORE WHICH CAME ON A 27-YARD PASS PLAY FROM NELSON ITALIANO TO HARRY BRINGGER. INCIDENTLY, THIS WAS THE FOURTH PASS ITALIANO HAD THROWN TO BRINGGER ALL SEASON, AND THE 4TH HE CAUGHT -- ALL FOR TOUCHDOWNS. TAMPA SCORED AND IT WAS FLORIDA STATE 13, TAMPA 7 AT THE HALF. TAMPA TIED UP THE GAME 13-13 EARLY IN THE THIRD QUARTER ON A LONG PASS PLAY THAT BOUNCED OFF FLORIDA STATE SAFETY MAN TOMMY BROWN' HANDS INTO THOSE OF A TAMPA RECEIVER IN THE END ZONE AND THE TEMPO PICKED UP. ITALIANO GOT AWAY 60 YARDS TO THE TAMPA 8 FOR THE GAME'S LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE IN THE THIRD QUARTER, BUT THE SEMINOLE ATTACK BOGGED DOWN AND THE TWO TEAMS ENTERED THE LAST CHAPTER ALL TIED AT 13-13. HOWEVER ON THE SECOND PLAY OF THE LAST QUARTER ITALIAN PASSED TO BRINGGER AGAIN -- THAT'S RIGHT, THE FIFTH STRAIGHT TRY FOR THESE TWO AND THE FIFTH STRAIGHT TOUCHDOWN, THIS TIME COVERING 34 YARDS. ITALIANO PERSONALLY RAN 27 YARDS A FEW MOMENTS LATER FOR A FLORIDA STATE SCORE, THEN WAYNE BENNER TOOK A SHORT TAMPA PUNT ON THE SPARTANS' 11 AND RETURNED IT FOR THE THIRD FLORIDA STATE TOUCHDOWN OF THE FOURTH QUARTER. TAMPA HALFBACK CHICKO RETURNED THE ENSUING FLORIDA STATE KICKOFF 95 YARDS TO KEEP THE SPECTATORS ON THEIR FEET AND IT WAS FLORIDA STATE 33, TAMPA 19. THE SEMINOLES' FINAL 2 POINTS CAME WHEN BOB WODRICH BLOCKED A TAMPA PUNT AND BOB SCHMELZ TACKLED HOLLAND APLIN, WHO HAD RECOVERED FOR THE SPARTANS, BEHIND THE GOAL FOR A SAFETY. FOLLOWING THIS GAME THE FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES RECIEVED SEVERAL BOWL GAME BIDS, ALL OF WHICH THEY TURNED DOWN.

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THE 1951 FLORIDA STATE FOOTBALL ROSTER

(ASTERISKS# WILL INDICATE NUMBER OF YEARS LETTERED AT FSU)

NAME	POSITION	CLASS	WT	HT	HOMETOWN H.S.	COACH
#JAMES ARNOLD	E	SOPH	153	5-8½	BAINBRIDGE, GA.	TOM AVERITT
GENE BRIDGES	E	SOPH	206	6-2	PENSACOLA, FLA.	HUGH BLESSING
#CURT CAMPBELL	E	JR	171	6-1	PENSACOLA, FLA. (TATE HI)	BUD HALL
#BILL DRIVER	E	SR	212	6-2	GIRARD, ILL. (BLUE ISLE HI)	BILL GUTCHES
JERRY ELLENWOOD	E	FRESH	178	6	FORT WAYNE, IND. (SOUTH SIDE HI)	MARION FEASEL
AL GARRETT	E	FRESH	168	6	SARASOTA, FLA.	BRYANT MEEKS
TED MORRILL	E	FRESH	174	6-1	MIAMI, FLA. (SR. HI)	GEORGE TROGDEN
MANUEL MOSHONAS	E	FRESH	173	6	TARPON SPRINGS, FLA	JAP SIMMONS
JOE ROBINSON	E	FRESH	181	6-1	MIAMI, FLA. (CORAL GABLES HI)	FABLIAN HOFFMAN
RUSS SORGEN	E	FRESH	179	6	FORT WAYNE, IND. (CENTRAL HI)	HERB BANET
BOB WHITMER	E	SR	204	6-2	SOUTH BEND, IND. (RILEY HI)	PAUL KELLY
TINY COUTER	T	FRESH	220	6	OAK PARK, ILL.	PAT HOMBS
GORDON DAVIS	T	FRESH	217	6	FORT MYERS, FLA.	JOCK SUTHERLAND
VERN FREEZE	T	FRESH	186	5-10	MISHAWAKA, IND.	GENE DYKSTRA
JOHN KARLOWICZ	T	JR	197	5-11	FAIRBANK, PA. (REDSTONE TWP HI)	JOE CHADONIC
DON LINTON	T	JR	190	6	PORT ST JOE, FLA.	MARIAN CRAIG
DOSSEY MERRITT	T	FRESH	243	6-3	LAKELAND, FLA.	L. L. NELSON
ERNIE NAGY	T	JR	223	6-2	SOUTH BEND, IND. (RILEY HI)	PAUL KELLY

NAME	POSITION	CLASS	WT	HT	HOMETOWN H.S.	COACH
NAT POLAK	T	FRESH	188	5-10	MIAMI, FLA. (SR. HI)	GEORGE TROGDON
CHUCK SANDERS	T	FRESH	184	6-1	MONOGAHELA, PA.	BEN HALDY
##VIC SZCZEPANIK	T	JR	186	5-10½	E. ROCHESTER, PA. (FREEDOM HI)	MIKE JOSEPHS
#BOB WODRICH	T	SOPH	203	6-2	MIAMI, FLA. (SR. HI)	GEORGE TROGDON
CHARLIE BOOTH	G	SOPH	182	5-11	LAKELAND, FLA.	L. L. NELSON
CHARLEY BROWN	G-QB	JR	197	5-11	MONOGAHELA, PA.	BEN HALDY
###BILL DAWKINS (CAPTAIN)	G	SR	196	5-11½	MIAMI, FLA. (JACKSON HI)	ROY FRENCH
#MAC HUEY	G	SOPH	213	5-10	TAMPA, FLA. (HILLSBOROUGH HI)	TY SMITH
#EARL O'NEAL	G	JR	197	6	VALDOSTA, GA.	WRIGHT BAREMORE
###BOB SCHMELZ	G	SR	190	6	WILLOUGHBY, OHIO (UNION HI)	PAT PASINI
ROGER SLABAUGH	G	FRESH	188	5-9	MISHAWAKA, IND.	GENE DYKSTRA
BOB TULLY	G	JR	179	5-9½	TALLAHASSEE, FLA. (LEON HI)	JOHN WESTBERG
BOBBY WALKER	G	JR	187	5-9	AUGUSTA, GA. (RICHMOND ACADEMY)	
#BUDDY BRYANT	C	SOPH	183	6-3	PERRY, FLA. (TAYLOR COUNTY HI)	ROBINSON
#STEVE KALENICH	C	SOPH	185	5-11	BARBERTON, OHIO (SOUTH HI, AKRON)	DOC WARGO
#ED LOCKARD	C	JR	193	6	JACKSONVILLE, FLA. (LANDON HI)	BARNEY SEARCY

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MARVIN MOLLNOW	C	JR	178	6	JACKSONVILLE, FLA.	ISH BRANT
TOMMY OWEN	C	SOPH	190	6-1	WEBSTER, FLA.	RED PRICE
BILL WHALEY	C	FRESH	178	5-11	OCALA, FLA.	OLLIE DAUGHTORY
#PRESTON BRADLEY	QB	JR	179	5-7	LAKE WALES, FLA.	L. M. BAGGETT
TOM SEBRING	QB	JR	191	6	TALLAHASSEE, FLA. (LEON HI)	JOHN WESTBERG
JOHNNY SHEPPARD	QB	FRESH	175	5-8½	TALLAHASSEE, FLA. (LEON HI)	BEN CLEMMONS
GERALD SMITH	QB	FRESH	175	5-11	MIAMI, FLA. (TECH HI)	ED PARNELL
JIMMY LEE TAYLOR	QB	SOPH	186	5-10	TAMPA, FLA. (PLANT HI)	COTTON CLINTON
PHIL ALVERS	HB	SOPH	180	5-11	POMONA PARK, FLA. (CRESCENT CITY HI)	A. M. WEBSTER
#WAYNE BENNER	HB	SR	190	6	LAPORTE, IND	DON EDMONDS
##HARRY BRINGGER	HB	JR	165	5-11	WINTER HAVEN, FLA.	BRICK AUSLEY
#TOMMY BROWN	HB	SR	150	5-10	TALLAHASSEE, FLA. (LEON HI)	TOM BROWN
BOB CRATON	HB	FRESH	173	5-11	VINCENNES, IND. (LINCOLN HI)	GEORGE INMAN
BOBBY FIVEASH	HB	SOPH	175	5-9½	BAINBRIDGE, GA.	TOM AVERITT
GARY FOLSOM	HB	SOPH	161	5-10	JACKSONVILLE, FLA. (LANDON HI)	BARNEY SEARCY
GEORGE GRAHAM	HB	SOPH	160	5-9	SANTA ROSA, CALIF. (ANALY HI)	WALT FOSTER
#ERNIE HUGGETT	HB	SR	181	5-8½	MISHAWAKA, IND.	RUSSELL ARNDT

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#NELSON ITALIANO	HB	SR	186	5-11	TAMPA, FLA. (PLANT HI)	JIMMY HUGHES
TOM MASSEY	HB	JR	168	5-8	GARY, IND. (HORACE MANN HI)	DON EDSER
BILLY JOE PRICE	HB	FRESH	172	5-7½	SHELBYVILLE, IND.	MAC MACKEAND
ROY THOMPSON	HB	JR	173	5-10	WRIGHTSVILLE, GA. (BAYLOR OF CHATT.)	HUMPHY HEYWOOD
AL WOODHAM	HB	JR	179	5-10	ALBANY, GA.	HAROLD MCNABB
GEORGE CARNES	FB	FRESH	172	5-10½	TAMPA, FLA. (PLANT HI)	COTTON CLINTON
RONALD KING	FB	SOPH	202	6-1	DAYTONA BEACH, FLA	SPIKE WELSHINGER
#MIKE SELLERS	FB	SR	212	6-1	BARBERTON, OHIO	KARL HARTER
#DICK TURK	FB	JR	181	5-10	SOUTH BEND, IND. (RILEY HI)	PAUL KELLY

LETTERMEN NOT RETURNING AND LETTERMEN RETURNING

LOSSES BY GRADUATION

E- TED HEWITT
E- NORMAN EUBANKS
T- CAPT. DUKE MALTBY
T- DUB KENDRICK
T1 SAM BAKER

LOSSES TO MILITARY

T- CARMINE LOMBARDI
G- WENDELL DENNIS
QB- DON GLADDEN

QUIT, INELIGIBLE, ETC.

E- CLIFF POWELL
T-DWIGHT OSHA
C- MONTE MAY
HB- EDDIE GRAY

RETURNING LETTERMEN. ENDS: JIM ARNOLD, BILL DRIVER, CURT CAMPBELL. TACKLES: VIC SZCZEPANIK AND BOB WODRICH. GUARDS: CAPTAIN BILL DAWKINS, EARL O'NEAL, BOB SCHMELZ AND MAC HUEY. CENTERS: STEVE KALENICH, ED LOCKARD, BUDDY BRYANT (1947). QUARTERBACKS: PRESTON BRADLEY. HALFBACKS: NELSON ITALIANO, TOMMY BROWN, HARRY BRINGGER, ERNIE HUGGETT, WAYNE BENNER. FULLBACKS: MIKE SELLERS AND DICK TURK.

THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF FSU PLAYERS

JIM ARNOLD, LETTERMAN, SOPHOMORE, END, 153 POUNDS FROM BAINBRIDGE, GA. JIM AND HALFBACK TOMMY BROWN HAVE A DAILY BATTLE ON THE SCALES FOR THE DOUBTFUL HONOR OF BEING FLORIDA STATE'S LIGHTEST FOOTBALL SQUAD MEMBER. ARNOLD'S WEIGHT DOESN'T GIVE THE TRUE PICTURE OF HIS EFFECTIVENESS, HOWEVER, AS HE IS ONE OF THE OUTSTANDING DEFENSIVE PLAYERS ON THE TEAM. POUND FOR POUND HE'S PROBABLY THE BEST.

GENE BRIDGES, TRANSFER, SOPHOMORE, END, 206 POUNDS FROM PENSACOLA, FLA GENE WAS A GREAT ATHLETE AT PENSACOLA HIGH SCHOOL AND SHOWS PROMISE AT FLORIDA STATE. HE MAY BE USED AS AN END ON OFFENSE AND TACKLE ON DEFENSE. AN INJURED HAND GOT HIM OFF TO A SLOW START THIS SEASON.

CURT CAMPBELL, LETTERMAN, JUNIOR, END, 171 POUNDS FROM PENSACOLA, FLA. (PLAYED AT TATE HIGH). CURT HAS BEEN A HARD-LUCK GUY THE PAST TWO SEASONS WITH INJURIES KEEPING HIM SIDELINED MOST OF THE TIME. THIS YEAR HE HAS ADDED WEIGHT AND SEEMS TO BE IN TOP SHAPE. CAMPBELL IS A FINE PASS RECEIVER, CAN RUN WITH THAT BALL AFTER HE GETS IT, AND IS ONE OF THE SQUAD'S SUREST TACKLERS ON DEFENSE.

BILL DRIVER, LETTERMAN, SENIOR, END, 212 POUNDS FROM GIRARD, ILL. BILL WAS FSU'S STARTING QUARTERBACK LAST SEASON, BUT HE HAS LOOKED EVEN MORE EFFECTIVE AT END WHERE HE WILL BE USED ON BOTH OFFENSE AND DEFENS THIS SEASON. HE IS A PHYSICAL EDUCATION MAJOR AND HOPES TO FIND A COACHING JOB IN FLORIDA WHEN HE GRADUATES -- GOT SAND IN HIS SHOES.

JERRY ELLENWOOD, FRESHMAN, END, 178 POUNDS FROM FORT WAYNE, IND. JERRY GOT OFF TO A SLOW START THIS SEASON BUT IS COMING FAST AS THIS IS WRITTEN. IF HE CONTINUES TO IMPROVE HE MAY HELP US THIS FALL. HE WAS AN ALL_CITY SELECTION AT END THREE YEARS IN FORT WAYNE WHERE HE WENT TO SOUTH SIDE HIGH SCHOOL.

AL GARRETT, FRESHMAN, END, 168 POUNDS FROM SARASOTA, FLA. AL, WHO GOT THE "MOST VALUABLE PLAYER" AWARD AT SARASOTA HIGH SCHOOL LAST YEAR, IS PROBABLY TOO LIGHT TO HELP MUCH THIS SEASON. HE IS A GOOD PROSPECT FOR THE FUTURE.

TED MORRILL, FRESHMAN, END, 175 POUNDS FROM MIAMI, FLA (SENIOR HIGH). TED IS MAJORING IN VOICE AT FLORIDA STATE, SOMETHING NEW FOR THE FOOTBALL SQUAD PERSONNEL. HE WILL NOT ONLY BE ABLE TO SERENADE THE SQUAD ON TRIPS, BUT IS A FAIR BALL PLAYER WITH LOTS OF PROMISE.

MANUEL MOSHONAS, FRESHMAN, END, 173 POUNDS FRON TARPON SPRINGS, FLA. MANUEL PLAYED BOTH END AND FULLBACK AT TARPON SPRINGS WHERE HE RECEIVED LITTLE ALL-STATE AND ALL-SOUTH FLORIDA CONFERENCE RECOGNITION

LAST YEAR. HE IS ANOTHER BOY WHO STARTED SLOW BUT HAS BEEN DEVELOPING FAST IN RECENT WORKOUTS. MOSHONAS IS POTENTIALLY A MIGHTY FINE BALL PLAYER.

JOE ROBINSON, FRESHMAN, END, 181 POUNDS FROM MIAMI, FLA (CORAL GABLES HIGH). JOE, AN ALL-CITY END AT MIAMI LAST FALL, IS ONE OF THE MOST PROMISING FRESHMEN ON THE FLORIDA STATE SQUAD. HE IS EQUALLY EFFECTIVE OFFENSIVELY AND DEFENSIVELY.

BOB WHITMER, SENIOR, END, 204 POUNDS FROM SOUTH BEND, IND. (RILEY HIGH). BIG BOB IS CAPTAIN-ELECT OF THE 1951-1952 FLORIDA STATE BASKETBALL TEAM. HE BRINGS THAT SURE BASKETBALL BALL HANDLING ABILITY, SPRING AND SPEED TO THE FOOTBALL FIELD, WHICH COMBINED WITH NATURAL AGGRESSIVENESS MAKES HIM ONE OF THE FINEST PASS RECEIVERS ON THE SQUAD. BOB IS ALSO A FINE BLOCKER. HE GAINED ALL-STATE AND ALL-CONFERENCE HONORS IN INDIANA WHILE PLAYING FOR RILEY HIGH, THEN PLAYED TWO YEARS AT PURDUE BEFORE TRANSFERRING TO FLORIDA STATE. HE DID NOT GO OUT FOR FOOTBALL LAST FALL BUT IS SURE TO SEE PLENTY OF ACTION THIS SEASON.

BILL COUTER, FRESHMAN, TACKLE, 220 POUNDS FROM OAK PARK, ILL. BILL, ONE OF THE LARGER BOYS ON THE SQUAD, HAS BEEN ILL AND IS NOT EXPECTED TO HELP US MUCH IN 1951.

GORDON DAVIS, FRESHMAN, TACKLE, 217 POUNDS FROM FORT MYERS, FLA. GORDON IS ANOTHER BIG BOY WHO NEEDS LOTS OF SEASONING AND POLISH BEFORE HE WILL BE OF MUCH HELP AT FLORIDA STATE. HE IS A HARD WORKER AND MAY BE A FINE PLAYER SOME DAY.

VERN FREEZE, FRESHMAN, TACKLE, 186 POUNDS FROM MISHAWAKA, IND. VERN PLAYED TACKLE AND DID SOME OF THE PUNTING FOR ONE OF THE FINEST HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS IN INDIANA LAST SEASON. HE SHOWS PROMISE BUT IS AT LEAST A YEAR AWAY FROM HELPING MUCH UNLESS HE STARTS DEVELOPING MORE RAPIDLY THAN HE DID IN EARLY PRE-SEASON DRILLS.

JOHN KARLOWICZ, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, TACKLE, 197 POUNDS FROM FAIRBANK, PA (REDSTONE T.W.P. HIGH). THE HEAT BOTHERED JOHN IN EARLY PRE-SEASON PRACTICES, BUT HE MAY BE LOTS OF HELP THIS FALL AS A DEFENSIVE PLAYER. JOHN WAS AN ALL-COUNTY PLAYER TWO YEARS AT REDSTONE HIGH. SAYS HIS HOBBY IS DANCING.

DON LINTON, RETURNING RESERVE, JUNIOR, TACKLE, 191 POUNDS FROM PORT ST. JOE, FLA. DON WAS USED AT QUARTERBACK AND FULLBACK ON THE FSU B TEAM LAST FALL, BUT HAS BEEN SHIFTED TO TACKLE FOR 1951. HE IS FINDING IT HARD TO ADJUST TO HIS NEW POSITION, BUT MAY HELP SOME

BEFORE THE SEASON IS OVER. HE IS FAST FOR A BIG MAN.

DOSSEY MERRITT, FRESHMAN, TACKLE, 243 POUNDS FROM LAKELAND, FLA. THE BIGGEST MAN ON THE FLORIDA STATE SQUAD, DOSSEY SHOWS LOTS OF PROMISE FOR A FRESHMAN. HE HANDLES HIS WEIGHT SURPRISINGLY WELL AND HAS POSSIBILITIES OF DEVELOPING INTO A GREAT LINEMAN.

ERNIE NAGY, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, TACKLE, 223 POUNDS FROM SOUTH BEND, IND. (RILEY HIGH). ERNIE HAS HAD TROUBLE WITH THE HEAT IN PRE-SEASON DRILLS. HE HAS THE PHYSICAL EQUIPMENT TO PLAY GREAT BALL AND WE'RE HOPING HE'LL COME THROUGH FOR US THIS FALL.

NAT POLAK, FRESHMAN, TACKLE, 188 POUNDS FROM MIAMI, FLA (SENIOR HIGH). NAT WAS AN ALL-CITY HIGH SCHOOL SELECTION IN MIAMI LAST FALL AND MAY DEVELOPE INTO A GREAT COLLEGE BALL PLAYER. HE HAS LOTS OF FIRE AND LIKES THE GOING ROUGH. THE COACHES RATE HIM ONE OF THE BETTER FRESHMEN PROSPECTS.

CHUCK SANDERS, FRESHMAN, TACKLE, 184 POUNDS FROM MONONGAHELA, PA. CHUCK IS PRETTY LIGHT FOR A TACKLE, BUT IS A BIG-BONED BOY WHO SHOULD GROW. A FINE PROSPECT FOR FUTURE SEMINOLE TEAMS.

VIC SZCZEPANIK, LETTERMAN, JUNIOR, TACKLE, 186 POUNDS FROM EAST ROCHESTER, PA (FREEDOM HIGH). VIC COMES FROM TRADITIONAL FOOTBALL COUNTRY -- A SECTION THAT PRODUCES SOME OF THE FINEST LINEMEN IN THE NATION YEAR AFTER YEAR. HE'S NOT TOO BIG, BUT HE MAKES UP FOR THAT LACK OF SIZE BY SPEED, AGILITY AND LOVE OF CONTACT. STARTING HIS THIRD YEAR ON THE VARSITY, VIC IS DEFINITELY ONE OF THE KEY MEN IN COACH DON VELLER'S PLANS FOR 1951. OFFENSIVE AND DEFENSIVE PLAYER.

BOB WODRICH, LETTERMAN, SOPHOMORE, TACKLE, 203 POUNDS FROM MIAMI, FLA (SENIOR HIGH). WOODY REPORTED TO THE SQUAD LATE AND UNHERALDED LAST YEAR, THEN OVERCAME MANY HANDICAPS TO END THE SEASON AS ONE OF THE FINEST DEFENSIVE MEN ON THE TEAM. REPORTING IN SHAPE TEN POUNDS HEAVIER AND JUST AS FAST THIS FALL, WODRICH RATES WITH SZCZEPANIK AS THE SEMINOLES' TWO OUTSTANDING TACKLES. HE WILL BE USED ON BOTH OFFENSE AND DEFENSE, AND HE'S ROUGH EITHER WAY.

CHARLIE BOOTH, TRANSFER, SOPHOMORE, GUARD, 182 POUNDS FROM LAKELAND, FLA. FAST AND AGGRESSIVE, CHARLIE IS EXPECTED TO DEVELOPE INTO A FINE GUARD.

CHARLEY BROWN, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, GUARD AND QUARTERBACK, 197 POUNDS FROM MONONGAHELA, PA. BIG AND FAST, CHARLEY FIGURES TO PLAY A LOT OF

FOOTBALL FOR FLORIDA STATE THIS FALL. HE IS ONE OF THE MOST VERSITILE PLAYERS ON THE SQUAD AND HAS BEEN USED IN PRE-SEASON DRILLS AT GUARD, QUARTERBACK AND DEFENSIVE TACKLE. CHARLEY APPEARS DESTINED TO TAKE HIS PLACE WITH THE MANY TOP BALL PLAYERS WHO HAVE COME TO FLORIDA STATE FROM THE OHIO VALLEY DISTRICT IN THE PAST THREE YEARS.

CAPTAIN BILL (MORRIS) DAWKINS, LETTERMAN, SENIOR, GUARD, 195 POUNDS FROM MIAMI, FLA (JACKSON HIGH). THIS IS BILL'S FOURTH YEAR ON THE FLORIDA STATE VARSITY AND HE VOWS HE'S GOING TO MAKE IT HIS BEST ONE. THAT WILL TAKE A LOT OF MAKING. LAST FALL BILL WAS NAMED ON THE ALL-STATE INTERCOLLEGIATE FIRST TEAM, UNANIMOUSLY ON THE ALL-DIXIE CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM AND WAS LISTED IN THE "WHO'S WHO IN SPORTS" MAGAZINE AS ONE OF THE NATION'S OUTSTANDING GUARDS. HE GOT OFF TO A SLOW START THIS FALL BECAUSE OF A LEG INJURY BUT HAS LOOKED LIKE HIS OLD SELF IN RECENT PRACTICES. WELL LIKED BY HIS TEAMMATES, COACHES AND THE ENTIRE STUDENT BODY, BILL SHOULD MAKE A GREAT CAPTAIN FOR THE SEMINOLES IN 1951. HE IS A PHYSICAL EDUCATION MAJOR AND HOPES TO COACH IN THE STATE AFTER HE GRADUATES THIS YEAR.

MAC HUEY, LETTERMAN, SOPHOMORE, GUARD, 213 POUNDS FROM TAMPA, FLA. (HILLSBOROUGH HIGH). MAC PILED ON 23 POUNDS THIS SUMMER, GROWING HIMSELF RIGHT OUT OF THE BACKFIELD, WHERE HE HAD LETTERED AT BLOCKING BACK LAST FALL, AND INTO THE LINE. ALWAYS AN AGGRESSIVE AND ROUGH BALL PLAYER, MAC FITS WELL INTO HIS NEW ASSIGNMENTS AND SHOULD BE ONE OF THE SEMINOLES' TOP PLAYERS, OFFENSIVELY AND DEFENSIVELY, THIS SEASON. HE IS USED AT TACKLE AND AS A LINEBACKER ON DEFENSE.

EARL O'NEAL, LETTERMAN, JUNIOR, GUARD AND TACKLE, 197 POUNDS FROM VALDOSTA, GA. ONE OF THE HARDEST WORKERS ON THE FLORIDA STATE SQUAD, EARL IS EXPECTED TO COME INTO HIS OWN THIS YEAR AS AN OUTSTANDING LINEMAN. HE IS BIG, FAST, A FINE BLOCKER AND LOVES THE GAME. BEFORE COMING TO FLORIDA STATE HE WAS AN ALL-STATE AND ALL-CONFERENCE PLAYER FOR VALDOSTA HIGH SCHOOL.

BOB SCHMELZ, LETTERMAN, SENIOR, GUARD, 190 POUNDS FROM WILLOUGHBY, OHIO (UNION HIGH). BOB, LIKE CAPTAIN DAWKINS, WILL BE AFTER HIS FOURTH VARSITY FOOTBALL LETTER AT FLORIDA STATE THIS FALL. HE IS ANOTHER 60-MINUTE BALL PLAYER, BEING USED AT TACKLE AND END ON DEFENSE, AND GUARD ON OFFENSE. SCHMELZ WAS AN ALL-DIXIE CONFERENCE SELECTION LAST YEAR. HE IS A PHYSICAL EDUCATION MAJOR AND HOPES TO COACH IN FLORIDA AFTER HE GRADUATES.

ROGER SLABAUGH, FRESHMAN, GUARD, 188 POUNDS FROM MISHAWAKA, IND. ROGER IS ONE OF THE MOST PROMISING FRESHMEN ON THE SQUAD, IMPROVING WITH EVERY WORKOUT. HE'LL PLAY SOME THIS YEAR AND COULD BE A GREAT STAR OF FUTURE FLORIDA STATE TEAMS.

BOB TULLY, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, GUARD, 179 POUNDS FROM TALLAHASSEE, FLA. (LEON HIGH). ALL BOB LACKS IS THE WEIGHT TO BE A REALLY GREAT BALL PLAYER. ONE OF THE MOST AGGRESSIVE PLAYERS ON THE SQUAD, HE WILL PLAY LOTS OF BALL BOTH OFFENSIVELY AND DEFENSIVELY.

BOBBY WALKER, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, GUARD, 187 POUNDS FROM AUGUSTA, GA. (PLAYED AT RICHMOND ACADEMY). BOBBY IS A HARD WORKER, IS A LITTLE ROUGH BUT IMPROVING. HE SOULD HELP THIS YEAR.

BUDDY BRYANT, LETTERMAN (1947), SOPHOMORE, CENTER, 183 POUNDS FROM PERRY, FLA. BUDDY WAS RATED THE OUTSTANDING LINEMAN ON FLORIDA STATE'S FIRST FOOTBALL TEAM IN 1947, BUT HAS BEEN OUT OF SCHOOL SINCE THAT TIME. HE IS SLOW ROUNDING INTO CONDITION BUT IS EXPECTED TO HELP OFFENSIVELY AND DEFENSIVELY WHEN HE GETS IN SHAPE. BUDDY IS THE SQUAD'S TOP POSSUM HUNTER, IF THAT MEANS ANYTHING.

STEVE KALENICH, LETTERMAN, SOPHOMORE, CENTER, 185 POUNDS FROM BARBERTON, OHIO (PLAYED AT SOUTH HIGH, AKRON, OHIO). STEVE, A FINE COMPETITOR, BATTLED HIS WAY TO THE FIRST TEAM CENTER POSITION AT FLORIDA STATE LAST YEAR AS A FRESHMAN. WITH A SHADE MORE WEIGHT AND LOTS MORE EXPERIENCE HE SHOULD HAVE A FINE YEAR IF HE CAN OVERCOME A LATE START CAUSED BY A FOOT INJURY IN PRE-SEASON PRACTICE.

ED LOCKARD, LETTERMAN, JUNIOR, CENTER, 193 POUNDS FROM JACKSONVILLE, FLA. (LANDON HIGH). A BIG BOY, LOCKARD HAS NEVER LIVED UP TO THE THINGS EXPECTED OF HIM. MAYBE THIS WILL BE HIS YEAR.

MARVIN MOLLNOW, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, CENTER, 178 POUNDS FROM JACKSONVILLE BEACH, FLA. (FLETCHER HIGH). MOLLNOW WAS LITTLE ALL-STATE AND TEAM CAPTAIN HIS SENIOR YEAR AT FLETCHER. LIGHT FOR A COLLEGE LINEMAN, HE MAKES UP FOR SOME OF THIS BY WILLINGNESS TO WORK AND LEARN.

TOMMY OWEN, RETURNING RESERVE, SOPHOMORE, CENTER, 190 POUNDS FROM WEBSTER, FLA. TOMMY IS ANOTHER ONE OF THOSE YOUNGSTERS WHO "GREW UP" IN THE PAST YEAR. WEIGHING 15 SOLID POUNDS MORE THAN HE DID LAST FALL, TOMMY IS RIGHT IN THE SCRAP FOR A STARTING JOB. A REAL BATTLER, OWEN SHOULD BE ONE OF THE SEMINOLES' TOP PLAYERS IN THE FUTURE.

BILL WHALEY, FRESHMAN, CENTER, 178 POUNDS FROM OCALA, FLA. BILL IS ANOTHER "SLEEPER" -- A BOY WHO CAME TO FLORIDA STATE WITHOUT MANY RAVE NOTICES BUT SHOW'S PROMISE OF FUTURE STARDOM.

PRESTON BRADLEY, LETTERMAN, QUARTERBACK, 179 POUNDS FROM LAKE WALES,

FLA. PRESS WAS A RESERVE FULLBACK ON THE 1950 FLORIDA STATE TEAM WHO COACH VELLER HAS SHIFTED TO QUARTERBACK WHERE HE SHOULD GET TO PLAY LOTS MORE BALL.

TOM SEBRING, JUNIOR, QUARTERBACK, 191 POUNDS FROM TALLAHASSEE, FLA. (LEON HIGH). THIS IS TOM'S FIRST YEAR OUT FOR FOOTBALL AT FLORIDA STATE AND HE MAY SEE LOTS OF ACTION. A FINE PASSER AND GOOD PUNTER, HE SHOULD FIT IN WELL WHEN HE GETS ON TO THE VELLER SYSTEM.

JOHNNY SHEPPARD, FRESHMAN, QUARTERBACK, 175 POUNDS FROM TALLAHASSEE, FLA. (LEON HIGH). JOHNNY IS A PLACE-KICK SPECIALIST WHO WON MANY GAMES FOR LEON HIGH IN THIS CAPACITY. HE IS AN UNDER-STUDY TO ERNIE HUGGETT, THE SEMINOLES' REGULAR CONVERSION EXPERT, AT FLORIDA STATE THIS YEAR.

GERALD SMITH, FRESHMAN, QUARTERBACK, 175 POUNDS FROM MIAMI, FLA. (TECH HIGH). AN ALL-SOUTH FLORIDA AND ALL-CONFERENCE BACK IN HIGH SCHOOL, SMITH SHOWS MUCH PROMISE.

JIMMY LEE TAYLOR, TRANSFER, SOPHOMORE, QUARTERBACK, 186 POUNDS FROM TAMPA, FLA (PLANT HIGH). JIMMY LEE IS ONE OF THE OUTSTANDING QUARTERBACK CANDIDATES ON THE SQUAD THIS FALL. HE LOVES THE GOING ROUGH AND IS A FINE BLOCKER. WHILE IN HIGH SCHOOL AT TAMPA HE WAS NAMED ON THE ALL-STATE TEAM.

DICK TURK, LETTERMAN, JUNIOR, QUARTERBACK AND FULLBACK, 181 POUNDS FROM SOUTH BEND, IND (RILEY HIGH). ALTHOUGH HE TRAILED ONLY SELLERS AND ITALIANO IN GROUND GAINING FROM FULLBACK FOR THE SEMINOLES LAST SEASON, TURK PROBABLY WILL BE USED MORE AT QUARTERBACK THIS YEAR BECAUSE HE IS ONE OF THE FINEST BLOCKERS ON THE SQUAD. DICK IS A GREAT TEAM MAN, A HARD RUNNER AND A GOOD WORKER. HE SHOULD BE LISTED WITH THE TOP MEN AT BOTH QUARTERBACK AND FULLBACK.

PHIL ALVERS, RETURNING RESERVE, SOPHOMORE, HALFBACK, 180 POUNDS FROM POMONA PARK, FLA (PLAYED AT CRESCENT CITY HIGH). A HARD RUNNING BACK, PHIL STILL LACKS THE POLISH TO BE A REGULAR. HE WAS AN ALL-ST JOHNS CONFERENCE SELECTION TWO YEARS WHILE PLAYING HIGH SCHOOL BALL.

WAYNE BENNER, LETTERMAN, SENIOR, HALFBACK, 190 POUNDS FROM LAPORTE, IND. ONE OF THE BEST DEFENSIVE HALFBACKS EVER TO PLAY AT FLORIDA STATE, WAYNE MAY HELP SOME ON OFFENSE ALSO THIS FALL. HE PASSES AND PUNTS WELL, AND IS A GREAT TEAM MAN. BENNER CERTAINLY SHOULD BE RATED ONE OF THE KEY MEN IN COACH VELLER'S PLANS FOR 1951.

HARRY BRINGGER, LETTERMAN, JUNIOR, HALFBACK, 165 POUNDS FROM WINTER HAVEN, FLA. HARRY WAS REGULAR RIGHT HALFBACK ON LAST YEAR'S UNDEFEATED

AND UNTIED FOOTBALL SQUAD AT FLORIDA STATE. HE IS A FAST, SHIFTY RUNNER AND IS ONE OF THE BEST PASS RECEIVERS ON THE TEAM. LAST YEAR HARRY SET AN UNUSUAL RECORD OF HAVING FIVE PASSES THROWN TO HIM DURING THE SEASON, CATCHING ALL FIVE OF THEM AND SCORING ON ALL FIVE. HE IS ALSO AN OUTSTANDING DEFENSIVE BACK, BEING PARTICULARILY ADEPT AT PASS DEFENSE.

TOMMY BROWN, LETTERMAN, SENIOR, HALFBACK, 150 POUNDS FROM TALLAHASSEE, FLA (LEON HIGH). TOMMY IS EXPECTED TO DO MOST OF THE PUNTING AND PLAY SAFETY MAN ON DEFENSE FOR THE SEMINOLES THIS YEAR. BECAUSE OF AN OLD SHOULDER INJURY THAT HURTS HIS EFFECTIVENESS AS A BLOCKER, HE IS NOT EXPECTED TO PLAY MUCH OFFENSE. BROWN IS RATED ONE OF THE FINEST PASS DEFENSE MEN IN THE NATION AND IS ALSO A FAST AND SHIFTY PUNT RETURN EXPERT. AT HIS SPECIALTIES -- PUNTING, PASS DEFENSE AND PUNT RETURNS -- THERE IS PROBABLY NO SUPERIOR IN THE SOUTH.

BOBBY FIVEASH, TRANSFER, SOPHOMORE, HALFBACK, 175 POUNDS FROM BAINBRIDGE, GA. BOBBY IS ONE OF THE MOST PROMISING YOUNG BACKS ON THE FLORIDA STATE SQUAD. HE DOES EVERYTHING WELL -- BLOCKING, RUNNING AND PASSING. HE SHOULD SEE LOTS OF ACTION THIS YEAR. FIVEASH WAS AN ALL-STATE AND ALL-REGIONAL SELECTION WHEN PLAYING HIGH SCHOOL BALL.

GARY FOLSOM, RETURNING RESERVE, SOPHOMORE, HALFBACK, 161 POUNDS FROM JACKSONVILLE, FLA (LANDON HIGH). GARY PASSES AS WELL, OR MAYBE BETTER, THAN ANYONE ON THE SQUAD, BUT STILL LACKS NECESSARY POISE. HE HAS GREAT POSSIBILITIES.

GEORGE GRAHAM, TRANSFER, SOPHOMORE, HALFBACK, 160 POUNDS FROM SANTA ROSA, CALIF (ANALY HIGH). A HARD AND FAST RUNNER AND GOOD DEFENSIVE BACK, GEORGE COULD BE A STAR OF THE FUTURE.

ERNIE HUGGETT, LETTERMAN, SENIOR, HALFBACK, 181 POUNDS FROM MISHAWAKA, IND. ERNIE IS THE SEMINOLES' KICKOFF AND EXTRA POINT SPECIALIST. UNABLE TO PLAY REGULAR BECAUSE OF A PHYSICAL DISABILITY, HE IS ALSO A GREAT HELP TO THE COACHING STAFF WORKING WITH THE YOUNG BACKS.

NELSON ITALIANO, LETTERMAN, SENIOR, HALFBACK, 185 POUNDS FROM TAMPA, FLA. (PLANT HIGH). NELSON WAS HELD BACK EARLY LAST SEASON BECAUSE OF INJURIES, BUT CAME ALONG FAST ENOUGH IN THE LAST FEW GAMES OF THE SEASON TO LEAD THE SEMINOLES IN PASSING AND TOTAL OFFENSE. AS A RUNNER HE IS FAST, POWERFUL AND SHIFTY. HE PASSES WITH AN UNORTHODOX STYLE, BUT EFFECTIVELY, AND IS ALSO A GOOD PUNTER. HE IS GENERALLY RATED THE BEST ALL-AROUND OFFENSIVE BACK ON THE FLORIDA STATE SQUAD, AND WITH A LITTLE IMPROVEMENT THIS YEAR COULD BE ONE OF THE FINEST SMALL-COLLEGE BACKS IN THE NATION.

TOM MASSEY, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, HALFBACK, 168 POUNDS FROM GARY, IND.

(HORACE MANN HIGH). FAST AND SHIFTY, TOM MAY MISS SOME EARLY SEASON GAMES BECAUSE OF INJURIES.

BILLY JOE PRICE, FRESHMAN, HALFBACK, 172 POUNDS FROM SHELBYVILLE, IND. BILLY JOE LACKS EXPERIENCE, IS A HARD WORKER AND MAY DEVELOPE.

ROY THOMPSON, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, HALFBACK, 173 POUNDS FROM WRIGHTSVILLE, GA (PLAYERD AT BAYLOR HIGH IN CHATTANOOGA). ROY IS PROBABLY THE MOST PROMISING NEWCOMER ON THE FLORIDA STATE FOOTBALL SQUAD THIS FALL. HE IS AN EXCEPTIONALLY FAST AND SHIFTY RUNNER, A GOOD BLOCKER, HARD WORKER AND FAIR PASSER. IF HIS SHOWINGS IN PRACTICE SESSIONS ARE ANY INDICATION, THOMPSOM MAY BLOSSOM INTO A REAL STAR BEFORE HE LEAVES FSU.

In this space for 1 day was a high school All-America halfback of 1950. Duke had more to offer.

AL WOODHAM, TRANSFER, JUNIOR, HALFBACK, 180 POUNDS FROM ALBANY, GA. AL IS KNOWN TO HIS TEAMMATES AS "CRAZY LEGS" BECAUSE OF HIS LOOSE STYLE OF RUNNING. IN ADDITION TO BEING SHIFTY HE ALSO PASSES WELL AND MAY HELP US THIS YEAR.

GEORGE CARNES, FRESHMAN, FULLBACK, 172 POUNDS FROM TAMPA, FLA (PLANT HIGH). RATED THE OUTSTANDING BACK IN TAMPA HIGH SCHOOLS LAST FALL, GEORGE MAY DEVELOPE INTO A FINE PLAYER AT FLORIDA STATE. HE SEEMS TO BE AT HIS BEST ON DEFENSE AND MAY SEE SOME ACTION THIS SEASON AT ONE OF THE DEFENSIVE HALFBACK POSTS.

RONALD KING, TRANSFER, SOPHOMORE, FULLBACK, 202 POUNDS FROM DAYTONA BEACH, FLA (MAINLAND HIGH). HERE IS ANOTHER YOUNG FLORIDA STATE BACK THAT HAS GREAT POTENTIALITIES. BIG, STRONG, FAST FOR HIS SIZE AND A HARD WORKER, HE LOOKS BETTER WITH EVERY PRACTICE THIS FALL.

MIKE SELLERS, LETTERMAN, SENIOR, FULLBACK, 212 POUNDS FROM BARBERTON, OHIO. MIKE WAS PROBABLY ONE OF THE FINEST FULLBACKS IN THE SOUTH LAST SEASON AND SHOULD BE EVEN BETTER THIS FALL. HE IS SHIFTY FOR A BIG MAN, AS WELL AS BEING FAST AND POWERFUL. AS HIGHLY RATED AS HE IS ON OFFENSE, HE IS PROBABLY AT HIS BEST WHEN BACKING UP A LINE ON DEFENSE. MIKE WAS INTERCOLLEGIATE ALL-STATE AND ALL-CONFERENCE LAST YEAR -- A TRULY GREAT BALL PLAYER.

FLORIDA STATE'S FOOTBALL COACHING STAFF

DR. DON A. VELLER? HEAD FOOTBALL COACH. IN THREE YEARS AS HEAD FOOTBALL COACH AT FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY, DR. DON VELLER HAS ELEVATED THE SEMINOLES FROM AN ALL-LOSING SEASON IN 1947 TO THREE STRAIGHT DIXIE CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS, AN UPSET VICTORY OVER WOFFORD COLLEGE IN TAMPA'S SHRINE CIGAR BOWL GAME OF JANUARY 2, 1950, AND AN UNDEFEATED AND UNTIED SEASON IN THE FALL OF 1950.

THIS WINNING PATTERN FITS RIGHT IN WITH THE AMAZING RECORD COACH VELLER HAS COMPILED IN 11 YEARS AS A HEAD COACH. HIS RECORD:

	YEARS COACHED	WON	LOST	TIED
#AT ELKHART (INDIANA) HIGH SCHOOL (1935 THRU 1941)	7	54	11	3
AT HANOVER (INDIANA) COLLEGE (1946)	1	4	3	0
##AT FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY (1948 THRU 1950)	3	24	2	0
LIFETIME HEAD COACHING RECORD (11 YEARS)	11	82	16	3

#THREE OF VELLER'S TEAMS AT ELKHART WON THE NORTHERN INDIANA PREP SCHOOL FOOTBALL TITLE COMPETING WITH SUCH WELL KNOWN SCHOOLS AS EAST CHICAGO, HAMMOND, GARY, SOUTH BEND AND MANY OTHERS. TWO OF HIS ELKHART TEAMS, IN 1938 AND 1941, WERE UNDEFEATED.

##COACH VELLER'S FIRST THREE TEAMS AT FLORIDA STATE HAVE ALL TAKEN DIXIE CONFERENCE TITLES, THE SEMINOLES NEVER HAVING SUFFERED DEFEAT IN DIXIE CONFERENCE FOOTBALL (NOTE: FLORIDA STATE HAS NOW RESIGNED FROM THE DIXIE CONFERENCE AND WILL PLAY AS AN INDEPENDENT TEAM IN 1951). VELLER'S 1949 TEAM DEFEATED WOFFORD IN THE 1950 TAMPA SHRINE CIGAR BOWL AND HIS 1950 ELEVEN BECAME THE FIRST WHITE COLLEGE TEAM IN THE HISTORY OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO FINISH A COMPLETE VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE UNDEFEATED AND UNTIED.

VELLER WAS BORN AT BICKNELL, INDIANA, WHERE HE WENT THROUGH GRADE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL, AND BECAME ONE OF THE TOWN'S ALL-TIME GREAT PREP SCHOOL ATHLETES. DON THEN ENTERED INDIANA UNIVERSITY

WHERE HE WAS A VARSITY PERFORMER FOR THE HOOSIERS IN 1932, 1933 AND 1934. PLAYING HIS FINAL GAME FOR INDIANA IN 1934, VELLER CLIMAXED A BRILLIANT THREE-YEAR COLLEGE CAREER, AND FOREVER ENDEARED HIMSELF TO INDIANA FANS, BY DEFEATING ARCH RIVAL PURDUE WITH A TWISTING 82-YARD TOUCHDOWN RUN.

IN RECOGNITION OF HIS ATHLETIC ABILITY WHILE A STUDENT AT INDIANA, VELLER WAS AWARDED THE BIG NINE MEDAL (WHICH IS PRESENTED ANNUALLY TWO ONE MAN IN THE BIG NINE CONFERENCE BASED ON SCHOOLASTIC AND ATHLETIC PROFICIENCY); THE BALFOUR AWARD (GIVEN ANNUALLY TO THE ATHLETE WHO BRINGS "HONOR AND DISTINCTION TO INDIANA UNIVERSITY"); AND THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE AWARD (GIVEN ANNUALLY TO THE PLAYER SELECTED "MOST VALUABLE" BY HIS TEAMMATES). VELLER WAS ALSO NAMED TO AND PLAYED ON THE EAST TEAM IN THE ANNUAL EAST-WEST SHRINE GAME AT SAN FRANCISCO AFTER THE 1934 SEASON.

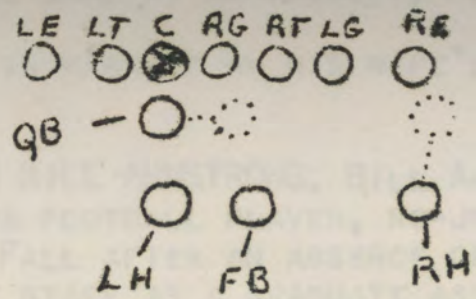
COACH VELLER HAS HAD A REMARKABLE RECORD ACADEMICALLY. HE NOW HOLDS FOUR DEGREES WHICH IS BELIEVED TO BE A RECORD AMONG FOOTBALL COACHES. HE RECEIVED THE BS DEGREE IN 1935, THE MS IN 1938, THE DIRECTOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEGREE IN 1947 AND THE DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEGREE IN 1950, ALL FROM INDIANA UNIVERSITY.

DR. VELLER SERVED FROM 1942 THROUGH 1946 AS AN OFFICER IN THE U.S. AIR FORCE, BEING AT ONE TIME CHIEF OF THE INFORMATION AND EDUCATION DIVISION FOR THE THIRD AIR FORCE. HE ADVANCED TO THE RANK OF MAJOR BEFORE LEAVING THE SERVICE.

THE VELLER COACHING SYSTEM IS BASICALLY THE SINGLE WING, AND VARIOUS ADAPTIONS OF THE "COCKEYED T" WHICH BO MCMILLAN INTRODUCED WITH SO MUCH SUCCESS AT INDIANA IN 1945, THE YEAR THE HOOSIERS WON THE BIG NINE CHAMPIONSHIP. TO THE SYSTEM HE LEARNED FROM MCMILLAN, VELLER HAS ADDED MANY INOVATIONS OF HIS OWN.

PERHAPS AN EXPLANATION OF JUST WHAT THE "COCKEYED T" IS SHOULD BE ENTERED HERE. IT IS RUN OFF THE SAME UNBALANCED LINE AS THE SINGLE WING. THE QUARTERBACK, FULLBACK AND LEFT HALFBACK (WITH THE LINE UNBALANCED TO THE RIGHT) LINE UP JUST AS THEY WOULD IN A CONVENTIONAL T. THE RIGHT HALFBACK MAKES THE T COCKEYED BY LINING UP PARALLEL WITH THE LEFT HALFBACK AND FULLBACK, BUT ALMOST DIRECTLY BEHIND THE RIGHT END. A VARIATION MIGHT BRING THE QUARTERBACK OUT FROM UNDER THE CENTER BEFORE THE BALL IS SNAPPED, OR SEND THE RIGHT HALF UP CLOSER TO THE LINE. OTHER VARIATIONS WOULD INCLUDE MEN IN MOTION OR FLANKING. NOTE THE BASIC COCKEYED T FORMATION WITH THE MOST COMMONLY USED VARIATIONS IN THE DRAWINGS ON THE NEXT PAGE.

VELLER'S COCKEYED T FORMATION



VELLER BELIEVES THAT THE COCKEYED T, WITH THE UNBALANCED LINE AS HE USES IT, GIVES THE OFFENSE MUCH THE POWER OF THE SINGLE WING AND YET PICKS UP POSSIBILITIES OF UTILIZING QUICK-OPENING PLAYS OF THE T. YEAR IN AND YEAR OUT HE WILL USE MORE T PLAYS OR MORE SINGLE WING PLAYS DEPENDING ON THE TALENTS AND DEVELOPEMENT OF MATERIAL HE HAS TO WORK WITH. THE SEMINOLES SOMETIMES LINE UP IN THE T AND MORE OFTEN IN THE CONVENTIONAL SINGLE WING, BUT ALWAYS WITH AN UNBALANCED LINE. SOMETIMES THEY WILL RUN FROM THE POSITION IN WHICH THEY ORIGINALLY LINE UP, AND SOMETIMES THEY WILL SHIFT TO THE OTHER POSITION BEFORE SNAPPING THE BALL.

INCIDENTLY (THOUGH IT IS NOT INCIDENTAL WITH HIM), VELLER LIKES HIS BLOCKERS TO "KNOCK THEM DOWN" -- HE DOESN'T BELIEVE IN THE SO-CALLED "BRUSH BLOCKING" USED BY SOME COACHES.

COACH VELLER IS MARRIED -- HIS WIFE'S NAME IS FRANCES. THEY HAVE NO CHILDREN.

ASSISTANT COACH BOB HARBISON. BOB HARBISON, AN OUTSTANDING GUARD AND LETTERMAN AT INDIANA UNIVERSITY IN 1945, 1946 AND 1947, JOINED THE FLORIDA STATE COACHING STAFF IN THE FALL OF 1948. SINCE COMING TO FLORIDA STATE, HARBISON HAS WORKED LARGELY WITH THE GUARDS AND CENTERS, DEVELOPING SUCH OUTSTANDING SEMINOLE STARS AS 1951 CAPTAIN BILL DAWKINS, 1948 AND 1949 CENTER JOE MARCUS, 1949 GUARD GERRY MORRICAL AND OTHERS. A HARD WORKER HIMSELF, BOB EXPECTS THE MEN UNDER HIM TO WORK JUST AS HARD AND USUALLY GETS GOOD RESULTS. HE IS DOING A FINE JOB OF LIVING UP TO THE GLOWING TRIBUTE PAID TO HIM BY HIS OLD COACH, BO MCMILLAN, WHO SAID OF BOB, "HARBISON IS A STUDENT OF THE GAME AND IS A VERY THOROUGH TECHNICIAN AS REGARDS FOOTBALL FUNDAMENTALS. HIS ABILITY TO DIAGNOSE OFFENSIVE FORMATIONS OF OUR OPPONENTS WAS UNCANNY."

HARBISON IS A NATIVE OF EVANSVILLE, INDIANA, WHERE HE PLAYED FOUR YEARS OF FOOTBALL AT CENTRAL HIGH BEFORE GOING TO INDIANA U. HIS OUTSTANDING YEAR AT THE UNIVERSITY WAS 1947, AT THE CLOSE OF WHICH SEASON HE WAS CHOSEN AS A GUARD FOR THE NORTH TEAM TO PARTICIPATE

IN THE BLUE-GRAY BOWL GAME AT MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA.

COACH HARBISON IS MARRIED -- HIS WIFE'S NAME IS JANE. THEY HAVE A DAUGHTER, PAULA.

ASSISTANT COACH BILL ARMSTRONG. BILL ARMSTRONG, ANOTHER FORMER UNIVERSITY OF INDIANA FOOTBALL PLAYER, RE-JOINED THE FLORIDA STATE COACHING STAFF THIS FALL AFTER AN ABSENCE OF TWO YEARS. BILL SERVED ON THE FLORIDA STATE STAFF AS A GRADUATE ASSISTANT IN 1948, THEN LEFT TO COMPILE A REMARKABLE RECORD AS HEAD COACH OF COLUMBIA HIGH SCHOOL IN LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, THE PAST TWO SEASONS. WHILE HE WAS AT LAKE CITY, ARMSTRONG'S TEAMS WON 15 GAMES AND LOST ONLY FOUR -- ONE OF THE BEST HIGH SCHOOL RECORDS IN THE STATE. AT FLORIDA STATE BILL WILL COACH THE BACKFIELD.

ARMSTRONG WAS BORN IN EVANSVILLE, INDIANA, WHERE HE WENT THROUGH GRADE AND HIGH SCHOOL. HE GRADUATED FROM BOSSE HIGH OF EVANSVILLE IN THE SPRING OF 1944 AND ENTERED INDIANA UNIVERSITY WHERE HE WAS A VARSITY HALFBACK IN 1944, 1945, 1946 AND 1947. HE WAS ALSO A TEAMMATE OF HARBISON ON THE NORTH SQUAD IN THE BLUE-GRAY GAME AT MONTGOMERY IN 1947.

COACH ARMSTRONG IS MARRIED -- HIS WIFE'S NAME IS BETTY. THEY HAVE NO CHILDREN.

ASSISTANT COACH TOM ROBERSON. TOM ROBERSON JOINED THE FLORIDA STATE STAFF ON A FULL TIME BASIS THIS FALL AS A REPLACEMENT FOR CHARLIE ARMSTRONG (BROTHER OF FSU'S PRESENT BACKFIELD COACH) WHO HAS RETURNED TO ACTIVE DUTY IN THE U.S.AIR FORCE R.O.T.C. TOM SERVED AS A GRADUATE ASSISTANT AT FLORIDA STATE LAST SPRING WHILE WORKING ON HIS MASTERS DEGREE IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION. HE CAME TO FSU FROM JACKSONVILLE (ALABAMA) STATE COLLEGE WHERE HE SERVED AS AN ASSISTANT COACH WHILE DOING UNDERGRADUATE WORK.

ROBERSON WAS BORN IN SYLACAUGA, ALABAMA. HE WAS A FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL STAR AT SYLACAUGA HIGH SCHOOL, THEN PLAYED ON THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL FRESHMAN TEAMS OF THE YEAR 1941-1942. ROBERSON TRANSFERRED TO UNIVERSITY OF CHATTANOOGA WHERE HE EARNED HIS VARSITY LETTER AT END IN 1942. HE LEFT CHATTANOOGA TO SERVE IN THE ARMY AND AIR FORCE WHERE HE CONTINUED TO PLAY FOOTBALL WITH THE NINTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS TEAM FOR TWO YEARS BEFORE SPENDING 24 MONTHS OVERSEAS IN THE EUROPEAN THEATRE AS A FIRST SARGENT. HE WAS IN BUSINESS FOR TWO YEARS AFTER LEAVING THE SERVICE BEFORE ENROLLING AT JACKSONVILLE STATE WHERE HE RECEIVED HIS BS DEGREE IN MARCH, 1951. AT FLORIDA STATE ROBERSON WILL ASSIST

COACH HARBISON WITH THE LINE.

COACH ROBERSON IS MARRIED -- HIS WIFE'S NAME IS KAY. THEY HAVE A SON, TOMMY.

GRADUATE ASSISTANT COACH RALPH MATHERLY. COACH RALPH MATHERLY WILL BE SERVING HIS SECOND SEASON AT FLORIDA STATE AS A GRADUATE ASSISTANT THIS YEAR, COMING HERE IN THE FALL OF 1950 FROM VENICE-NAKOMIS HIGH SCHOOL (SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA) WHERE HE HAD BEEN HEAD COACH OF ALL SPORTS. PRIOR TO TAKING OVER THE VENICE-NAKOMIS JOB, RALPH HAD BEEN AN ASSISTANT COACH AT SARASOTA HIGH SCHOOL.

MATHERLY, WHO IS WORKING ON HIS MASTERS DEGREE IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION AT FLORIDA STATE, WAS BORN IN SARASOTA, FLORIDA. HE WAS A FOUR-SPORTS MAN AT SARASOTA HIGH SCHOOL, BEING NAMED ON THE ALL-STATE FOOTBALL TEAM AS QUARTERBACK IN 1940. RALPH THEN WENT TO COLGATE UNIVERSITY WHERE HE WAS A VARSITY QUARTERBACK IN 1941, 1942 AND 1943. AT FLORIDA STATE THIS YEAR HE WILL WORK WITH THE ENDS AND THE B SQUAD.

COACH MATHERLY IS MARRIED -- HIS WIFE'S NAME IS MABEL. THEY HAVE A SON, RAYMOND.

TRAINER EDDIE KWEST. EDDIE KWEST CAME TO FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY IN THE FALL OF 1948 AS HEAD TRAINER OF ALL SPORTS. HE SERVED AS AN ASSISTANT TRAINER AT INDIANA UNIVERSITY BEFORE JOINING THE FLORIDA STATE STAFF. EDDIE IS A CONSCIENTIOUS WORKER AND HAS A VERY THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE OF HIS OCCUPATION. HE HAS PROVEN TO BE INVALUABLE TO FLORIDA STATE TEAMS IN THE THREE YEARS HE HAS BEEN HERE.

KWEST WAS BORN IN SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, WHERE HE PLAYED SOME HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL IN SPITE OF HIS LIGHT WEIGHT. HE SERVED 39 MONTHS IN THE ARMY MEDICAL CORPS DURING WORLD WAR II, TWO YEARS OF WHICH WAS IN THE EUROPEAN THEATRE. ALTHOUGH WORKING FULL TIME AT HIS TRAINERS JOB AT FLORIDA STATE, KWEST HAS ALSO FOUND TIME TO CONTINUE HIS STUDIES. HE WILL GRADUATE IN THE SPRING OF 1952 WITH A MAJOR IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND A MINOR IN HEALTH EDUCATION.

TRAINER KWEST IS NOT MARRIED -- YET.

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OFFICIALS FOR FSU'S 1951 FOOTBALL GAMES

GAME	REFEREE	UMPIRE	FIELD JUDGE	HEAD LINESMAN
TROY STATE	DUCK RAHAIM (GEORGETOWN)	LYNN ARNOLD (STETSON)	ARCH CARTER (AUBURN)	IRVING ALSOBROOK (GEORGIA)
AT MIAMI	FRED KOSTER (LOUISVILLE)	J.E. BURGHARD (MISS. COLLEGE)	W.R. BENTLEY (GEORGIA)	CHAS WOOD (GA. TECH)
DELTA STATE	ARCH CARTER (AUBURN)	G.C. MONROE (JAX JR COLL)	E.H. ROTH (S. WESTERN)	HOLMES TUCKER (YALE)
SUL ROSS STATE	ARCH CARTER (AUBURN)	LYNN ARNOLD (STETSON)	POP WARNER (FLORIDA)	TUCKER (YALE)
STETSON	JACK DUNLOP (DUKE)	G.C. MONROE (JAX JR COLL)	ARCH CARTER (AUBURN)	ALSOBROOK (GEORGIA)
AT JAX NAVY	JACK DUNLOP (DUKE)	G. C. MONROE (JAX JR COLL)	DUCK RAHAIM (GEORGETOWN)	ALSOBROOK (GEORGIA)
WOFFORD	DUCK RAHAIM (GEORGETOWN)	LYNN ARNOLD (STETSON)	JOHN LANAHAN (NOTRE DAME)	ALSOBROOK (GEORGIA)
AT TAMPA	JULIAN LANE (FLORIDA)	BENNIE LANE (FLORIDA)	AL DAVIS (CINCINNATI)	JOHN DURKO (VILLANOVA)
BRADLEY	DUCK RAHAIM (GEORGETOWN)	G.C. MONROE (JAX JR COLL)	ARCH CARTER (AUBURN)	TUCKER (YALE)

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FOOTBALL TICKET INFORMATION

BOX SEATS $3.00

RESERVED SEATS $2.50

GENERAL ADMISSION $1.85

STUDENTS ..... $ .95

SERVICE MEN IN UNIFORM ..... $ .95

(PRICES INCLUDE TAX)

CHECK OR MONEY ORDER MUST ACCOMPANY ALL REQUESTS FOR TICKETS.

FLORIDA STATE'S PREVIOUS RECORDS AGAINST 1951 OPPONENTS

TROY STATE	1947	FSU	6	TROY	36	FSU HAS WON 3, LOST 1, TIED 0.
	1948	FSU	20	TROY	13	
	1949	FSU	20	TROY	0	
	1950	FSU	26	TROY	7	

U. OF MIAMI (FLA.) — FLORIDA STATE PLAYS UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS FALL.

DELTA STATE — FLORIDA STATE PLAYS DELTA STATE FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS FALL.

SUL ROSS STATE — FLORIDA STATE PLAYS SUL ROSS STATE FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS FALL.

STETSON	1947	FSU	6	STETSON	14	FSU HAS WON 3, LOST 1, TIED 0.
	1948	FSU	18	STETSON	7	
	1949	FSU	33	STETSON	14	
	1950	FSU	27	STETSON	7	

JAX NAVY — FLORIDA STATE PLAYS JACKSONVILLE NAVAL AIR STATION FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS FALL.

WOFFORD COLLEGE (CIGAR BOWL GAME, JAN. 2, 1950)	1950	FSU	19	WOFFORD	6	FSU HAS WON 1, LOST 0, TIED 0.

TAMPA	1948	FSU	33	TAMPA	12	FSU HAS WON 3, LOST 0, TIED 0.
	1949	FSU	34	TAMPA	7	
	1950	FSU	35	TAMPA	19	

BRADLEY — FLORIDA STATE PLAYS BRADLEY UNIVERSITY FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS FALL.

AGAINST ALL OTHER OPPONENTS SINCE FLORIDA STATE BECAME COEDUCATIONAL IN 1947 THE SEMINOLES HAVE WON 14, LOST 5, TIED 0.

OVERALL RECORD AGAINST ALL OPPONENTS SINCE FLORIDA STATE BECAME COEDUCATIONAL IN 1947:

FLORIDA STATE HAS WON 24, LOST 7, TIED 0.

FLORIDA STATE ALL-TIME FOOTBALL RECORDS

TEAM RECORDS

Number of years played football	4
Most points, 1 game (vs Whiting Field 1949)	74
Greatest margin of victory (vs Whiting Field 1949)	74
Greatest margin of defeat (vs Troy State 1947)	30
Highest scoring season (9 games, 1949)	272
Lowest scoring season (5 games, 1947)	18
Most wins, 1 season (1949 & 1950)	8
Most losses , 1 season (1947)	5
Number undefeated and untied seasons (1950, won 8)	1
Number of "bowl game" wins (Cigar Bowl, 1950, FSU 19 Wofford 6)	1
Number of "bowl game" losses	0
Number games held opponents scoreless	7
Number games FSU held scoreless	2
Most runs from scrimmage, 1 game (vs Tampa 1950)	62
Most runs from scrimmage, 1 season (1949)	443
Most yards from scrimmage, 1 game (vs Whiting Field 1949)	378
Most yards from scrimmage, 1 season (1949)	2194
Most passes attempted, 1 game (vs Mississippi College 1950)	21
Most passes completed, 1 game (vs Howard 1950)	9
Most yards passing, 1 game (vs Stetson 1950)	153
Most passes attempted, 1 season (1950)	119
Most passes completed, 1 season (1950)	44
Most yards passing, 1 season (1950)	939
Most touchdown passes, 1 season (1950)	11
Most passes had intercepted, 1 season (1949)	13
Least passes had intercepted, 1 season (1947)	7
Most opponents' passes intercepted, 1 season (1949)	24
Most total gain run and pass, 1 game (378 running, 111 passing vs Whiting Field 1949)	489
Most total gain run and pass, 1 season (2194 running, 716 passing 1949)	2910
Most punts, 1 game (vs Stetson 1949)	10
Most punts, 1 season (1949)	56

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Most points, 1 season (Mike Sellers 1950)	54
Longest TD run from scrimmage (Dick Peterson vs Miss. College, 1949)	63
Longest TD pass (Nelson Italiano to Eddie Gray vs Newberry, 1950)	80

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (CONTINUED).

LONGEST TD KICKOFF RETURN (VS , 19) ..... NONE
LONGEST TD RUN, INTERCEPTED PASS (TED HEWITT VS STETSON 1948) 99
MOST FIELD GOALS, 1 GAME (VS , 19) 0
MOST FIELD GOALS, 1 SEASON (, 19) 0
MOST FIELD GOALS, CAREER (, 19) 0
MOST EXTRA POINTS, 1 SEASON (ERNIE HUGGETT 1950) 19
MOST EXTRA POINTS, CAREER (ERNIE HUGGETT, 1959 --) 19
MOST RUNS FROM SCRIMMAGE, 1 GAME (BUDDY STRAUSS VS SEWANEE 1949)27
MOST YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE,1 GAME (BUDDY STRAUSS VS MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE, 1949)..... 161
MOST RUNS FROM SCRIMMAGE, 1 SEASON (BUDDY STRAUSS 1949)..... 160
MOST YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE, 1 SEASON (BUDDY STRAUSS 1949) 747
MOST RUNS FROM SCRIMMAGE, CAREER (BUDDY STRAUSS 1948-49) ... 245
MOST YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE, CAREER (BUDDY STRAUSS 1948-49) ... 1170
MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED, 1 GAME (NELSON ITALIANO VS STETSON, 1950; COMPLETED 6 FOR 119 YARDS)..... 9
MOST PASSES COMPLETED, 1 GAME (NELSON ITALIANO VS STETSON, 1950; FOR 119 YARDS) 6
MOST YARDS PASSING, 1 GAME (NELSON ITALIANO VS MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE, 1950) 150
MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED, 1 SEASON (NELSON ITALIANO 1950) 39
MOST PASSES COMPLETED, 1 SEASON (NELSON ITALIANO, 1950) 16
MOST YARDS PASSING, 1 SEASON (NELSON ITALIANO 1950) 459
MOST TD PASSES, 1 SEASON (NELSON ITALIANO 1950) 8
MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED, CAREER (DICK PETERSON 1949-50)..... 40
MOST PASSES COMPLETED, CAREER (DICK PETERSON 1949-50)..... 17
MOST PASSES CAUGHT, 1 GAME (NORMAN EUBANKS VS STETSON 1950).. 5
MOST YARDS RECEIVING PASSES, 1 GAME (HARRY BRINGGER VS MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE 1950) 123
MOST PASSES CAUGHT, 1 SEASON (NORMAN EUBANKS 1950)..... 13
MOST YARDS RECEIVING PASSES, 1 SEASON (HARRY BRINGGER 1950).. 246
MOST TD PASSES CAUGHT, 1 SEASON (BRINGGER 1950)..... 5
MOST PASSES CAUGHT, CAREER (NORMAN EUBANKS 1948-49-50)..... 24
MOST YARDS RECEIVING PASSES, CAREER (NORMAN EUBANKS 1948-49-50)420
MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED, 1 GAME (TOMMY BROWN VS STETSON 1950) 3
MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED, 1 SEASON (TED HEWITT 1949)..... 6
MOST TIMES PUNTED, 1 GAME (BO MANUEL VS STETSON, 1949: AVG 33.5)10
BEST PUNTING AVERAGE, 1 GAME (5 MINIMUM) (BO MANUEL VS SEWANEE, 1949 ..... 39.3
MOST TIMES PUNTED, 1 SEASON (BO MANUEL 1949) 40
BEST PUNTING AVERAGE, 1 SEASON (35 MINIMUM) (BO MANUEL 1949) 35.0
MOST TIMES PUNTED, CAREER (BO MANUEL 1948-49) 50
BEST PUNTING AVERAGE, CAREER (75 MINIMUM) (19)..... ----
LONGEST PUNT (TOMMY BROWN VS TAMPA 1950) 84
MOST PUNTS RETURNED, 1 SEASON (RALPH CHAUDRON, 1949; AVG 17.4) 11
BEST 1 SEASON PUNT RETURN AVG (7 MINIMUM)(TOMMY BROWN, 1950). 19.1

RECORDS AND LETTERMEN - ALL SPORTS

BASEBALL - Coach Charlie Armstrong.

1951 -- Won 13, Lost 6.

Lettermen -- Captain Augie Pompelia, Lee K. Bailey, Harry Bringger, Glen Gresham, Earl Herold, Ed Lockard, Ronnie Melton, Les Mullen, Ronnie Nettles, Ed Sessions, Robert Trowbridge, Robert Whitmer. Manager, Fred Hoover.

1950 -- Dixie Conference champions. Won 13, lost 7.

Lettermen -- Captain Bob Trowbridge, Lamar C. Brown, Ronald Nettles, John Witt, Glenn Gresham, Ronald Melton, Godfrey Knight, T. J. Lanier, Lee Bailey, Les Mullen, Lyn McKelvy, Augie Pompelia, Ed Sessions, Ed Lockard, Harry Truluck and Bill Teel.

Ronald Melton was chosen Most Valuable Player by his teammates. Lee Bailey was named on the Intercollegiate All-State Team.

1949 -- Dixie Conference runnerups. Won 11, lost 8.

Lettermen -- Captain Sam Cox, Allen Dozier, George Boyd, Lamar Brown, Royce Burt, Calvin Collins, Roger Drohan, Sam Fann, Glenn Gresham, Ronald Melton, Ronald Nettles, Billy Parker, Bob Trowbridge, John Witt. Manager Clyde Wiggins.

1948 -- Won 9, lost 8.

Lettermen -- Captain Ronald Nettles, Allen Dozier, Lamar Brown, Howard Calhoun, Harold Conrad, Wayne Howell, Godfrey Knight, Burnell Murphy, Al Padget, Billy Parker, Truby Shaw, William Tanner, Jack Wilson and John Witt. Managers R. E. Compton and Clyde Wiggins.

BASKETBALL - Coach J. K. "Bud" Kennedy.

1951 -- District 25 N.A.I.B. Champions; went to quarter-finals National N.A.I.B. Tournament; second, Dixie Conference. Won 18, Lost 9.

Lettermen -- Captain-Elect Bob Whitmer, Larry Dickson, Lou Fischer, Bob Hartman, Bud Marsee, Tom Mclaughlin, Ronnie Nettles, Irr Quin, Bud Scott, Dick Trobaugh. Manager John Haygood.

Bob Hartman was named on the Intercollegiate All-State Team and set a new state Intercollegiate scoring record for a single season of 493 points. Hartman and Bob Whitmer were named on the All-Dixie Conference team.

1950 -- Third, Dixie Conference. Won 15, Lost 10.

Lettermen -- Co-Captain Dick Trobaugh, Co-Captain Lee Benjamin, Larry Dickson, Ted Hewitt, Dick Kendall, Tom McLaughlin, Ronald Nettles, Bob Pence, Bill Weigel, Orlando Wyman.

Tom McLaughlin was named on the Intercollegiate All-State team, also on the All-Dixie Conference team.

1949 -- Fourth, Dixie Conference. Won 12, lost 12.

Lettermen -- Captain Art Adams, Lee Benjamin, Larry Dickson, Dick Kendall, Tom McLaughlin, Ronald Nettles, Jim Pavy, Bob Pence, Bill Weigel, Orlando Wyman. Managers Ted Revell and Howard Stephens.

Lee Benjamin was named on the Intercollegiate All-State team.

BASKETBALL (CONTINUED)

1948 -- Won 5, lost 13 (Coached by Don Loucks).

Lettermen -- Captain Jim Pavy, Ralph Chaudron, Larry Dickson, Sheldon Hilaman, Bill Kratzert, Ben McCrary, Hosea Maxwell, Ronald Nettles, Billy Osteen, Ernie Williams and Orlando Wyman. Managers Herbert Kelley and Howard Stephens.

FOOTBALL -- Coach Don A. Veller

1950 -- Dixie Conference Champions. Became First White College team in the History of Florida to Complete a full college football schedule undefeated and untied. Won 8, lost 0.

Lettermen -- Captain Duke Maltby, Captain-Elect Bill Dawkins, Jim Arnold, Sam Baker, Wayne Benner, Preston Bradley, Harry Bringger, Tommy Brown, Curt Campbell, Wendell Dennis, William Driver, Norman Eubanks, Don Gladden, Eddie Gray, Ted Hewitt, Mac Huey, Ernie Huggett, Nelson Italiano, Steve Kalenich, Dub Kendrick, Ed Lockard, Carmine Lombardi, Monte May, Earl O'Neal, Dwight Osha, Cliff Powell, Bob Schmelz, Mike Sellers, Vic Szczepanik, Dick Turk, Bob Wodrich. Manager Russ Cook.

Bill Dawkins and Mike Sellers were named on the Intercollegiate All-State Team. Dawkins, Sellers, Norman Eubanks, Dub Kendrick and Bob Schmelz were named on the All-Dixie Conference team. Dub Kendrick was voted most valuable player.

1949 -- Dixie Conference champions. Tampa Shrine Cigar Bowl champions (Jan. 2, 1950). Won 9, lost 1.

Lettermen -- Captain Hugh Adams, Captain-Elect Loren Maltby, Alternate Captain-Elect Buddy Strauss, Glenn Allen, Chris Banakas, Harry Bringger, Ralph Chaudron, Bill Dawkins, Bob Duckworth, Norman Eubanks, Walter Foy, Rin Grossman, Ted Hewitt, Bob Johnson, Dub Kendrick, Ken MacLean, Bo Manuel, Frank Marcus, Joe Marcus, Monte May, Leonard Melton, Jerry Morrical, Dwight Osha, Wyatt Patish, Dick Peterson, John Quinn, Ernie Reddick, Bob Schmeltz, Vic Szczepanik and Marvin Urquhart. Manager Bill Lang.

Buddy Strauss, Wyatt Parish, Jerry Morrical, Joe Marcus and Norman Eubanks were named on the All-Dixie Conference team. Morrical was selected by the Williamson Rating System as a first string tackle on the "Middle Group All-American" team. Joe Marcus was selected by his teammates as "most valuable player" for the season. Strauss was recognized as one of Associated Press' Outstanding Stars of the Day for his work in the 1950 Cigar Bowl Game.

1948 -- Dixie Conference champions. Won 7, lost 1.

Lettermen -- (captain named by Coach Veller for each game) Hugh Adams, Chris Banakas, Bob Browning, Ralph Chaudron, Jug Coleman, Bill Dawkins, Norman Eubanks, John Filchock, Ed Fox, Walter Foy, Donald Grant, Ted Hewitt, Chris Kalfas, Dick Kendall, W. A. "Dub" Kendrick, Ken MacLean, Bo Manuel, Joe Marcus, Monte May, Leonard Melton, Wyatt Parish, Dick Peterson, Bill Quigley, Ernie Reddick, Bob Schmeltz, Buddy Strauss, Jack Tully and Marvin Urquhart. Managers Lonnie Burt and Bill Lang.

Hugh Adams was selected by the Williamson Rating System as first string tackle on the "Little All-American" team.

1947 -- Won 0, lost 5 (Coach Ed Williamson).

Lettermen -- Co-Captain Phil Rountree, Co-Captain Jack McMillan, Chris Banakas, Wendell Barnes, Billy Bishop, Fred Boris, Bob Browning, Buddy Bryant,

FOOTBALL (CONTINUED)

Wesley Carter, Ralph Chaudron, Harold Conrad, Jim Costello, Joe Crona, Jim DeCosmo, Ed Dilsaver, Bob Fergers, Leonard Gilberg, Donald Grant, Harry Hughey, Chris Kalfas, Bill Kratzert, Bo Manuel, Ken MacLean, Dan McClure, Charles McMillan, Leonard Melton, Dave Middlebrook, Billy Osteen, Wyatt Parish, C. N. Proctor, Ed Quigley, Jim Quigley, Al Tharpe, Jack Tully, John Watson and Dick Williams. Managers Gilbert Aldridge, Lonnie Burt, Joe Carlucci and Johnny Johns.

GOLF -- Coach Bob Harbison

1951 -- Won 8, lost 3.
Lettermen -- Captain Ted Hewitt, Tony Cumbie, Bud Marsee, Dick Montney.

1950 -- Dixie Conference champions. Won 6 matches, lost 2, tied 2.
Lettermen -- Captain Joe bassett, Sonny Tinney, Ted Hewitt, Dick Montney, Charles James.
Sonny Tinney was Dixie Conference tournament champion, setting a new tournament scoring mark of 73-71-70 -- 214.

1949 -- Runnerup, Dixie Conference. Won 8 matches, lost 1.
Lettermen -- Captain Hank Mercer, Ted Hewitt, Sonny Tinney, Joe Bassett, Dick Montney and Wiley Watkins.
Sonny Tinney was Dixie Conference tournament champion.

1948 -- Won 3 matches, lost 7. (Coached by Ed Burleson).
Lettermen -- Captain Eddie Andrews, Jack Campbell, Ralph Coward, Hank Mercer, Bill Rice, Sonny Tinney and Walter Wells.
Sonny Tinney won the First Annual Florida Intercollegiate golf tournament.

GYMNASTICS -- Coach Hartley D. Price.

1951 -- National A.A.U. champions; National N.C.A.A. champions; Southeastern A.A.U. champions; Southern Intercollegiate Gymnastic League champions; Florida A.A.U. Champions. Won 3, lost 2 dual meets.
Lettermen -- Captain Bill Roetzheim, Eddie Fernald, Joe Gusic, Dick Gutting, Chester Kinard, Jack Miles, Dick Platt, Carmine Regna, Joe Regna, Jack Sharp, Pat Signorelli, Scotty Stanton, Beans Stephens, Bill Vrettos, Larry Weston, Harmer Weichel.
Bill Reotzheim won National A.A.U. All-around championship and tied for first on the sidehorse and horizontal bar. Roetzheim also won the National N.C.A.A. all-around and high bar titles. Jack Miles won the National A.A.U. flying rings title.

1950 -- Florida A.A.U. champions, Mid-Western Open Intercollegiate champions, Southeastern A.A.U. champions. Won 4 meets, lost 0.
Lettermen -- Co-Captain Bill Roetzheim, Co-Captain Joe Calvetti, Eddie Evans, Ed Fernald, Chester Kinard, Frank Leone, Carmine Regna, Joe Regna, Howard Stephens and Gene Vinik.
Bill Roetzheim, recognized as the outstanding gymnast in the United States today, won the National A.A.U. All-Around championship, the Mid-West Open Intercollegiate All-Around championship, the Southeastern A.A.U. All-Around championship and the Florida A.A.U. All-Around championship.

SWIMMING — COACH N. B. "Bim" Stults.

1951 — Florida A.A.U. Champions; tied for first place in Southeastern A.A.U. meet. Rated best college swimming team in the Deep South for 1951. Won 7, lost 0 in dual meets.

Lettermen — Co-captain Buddy Browning, Co-captain Walter Jardine, Co-captain elect Dick Wells, Co-captain elect Pete Dunn-Rankin, Eddie Archer, Wilton Jardine, Mike Castagna, John Buettner, Scotty Ramsey, Jack White, Pat Farrell, Jack Burnett, Owen Boone, Mitch Sutherland, Roger Slater, Tom Conway. Manager Willis Tyrell and Manager Bill Smith.

Roger Slater finished sixth on the low board and tenth on the high board at National N.C.A.A. meet and was named on the Intercollegiate All-America team. Slater also won the Southeastern and Florida A.A.U. titles. Walter Jardine won the S.E. A.A.U. 440 yard free style; and the 400 yard free style relay team of Dick Wells, Jack White, Pete Dunn-Rankin and Walter Jardine set a new S.E. AAU record of 3:40.5.

1950 — Won 7 meets, lost 2.

Lettermen — Captain Walter Jardine, Dick Berndt, Mark Brown, Buddy Browning, Owen Boone, John Buettner, Mike Castagna, Tom Conway, Peter Dunn-Rankin, Pat Farrell, Jack Holmes, Wilton Jardine, Joe Mills, Roger Slater, Tony Stormont, Dick Wells, Jack White, Scott Ramsey, Bob Ensworth and Bob Wells. Managers Bob May and Charlie Bradham.

Roger Slater won the Southeastern AAU Lowboard Diving Championship.

1949 — Won 3 meets, lost 6.
Lettermen — Mark Brown, Buddy Browning, Mike Castagna, Frank Cochran, Warren Frost, Jack Holmes, Walter Jardine, Roger Slater, Don Wensinger and Jack White. Managers Mike Findley and Charlie Bradham.

1948 — Won 0, lost 2.
Lettermen — Buddy Browning, Harry Dean, Pete Findley, Wilbur Gramling, Loyal Gould, Howard Kepple, James Kinsey, John Norris, Urban Parrish, Bill Rogers, Ollin Thompson, Bill Todd, Murray Voth, John Wade and Paul Wickham.

TENNIS—Coach Don Loucks

1951 — (Coached by Coach Ralph Matherly) Dixie Conference Champions. Won 7, lost 8.
Lettermen — Captain Larry Dickson, Tom Babione, Jim Berry, Dan Boda, Dick Bradley, Jack Egan, George Martin, George Newman, Manager Larry Ladderoot.
Larry Dickson won Dixie Conference Class A singles championship and teamed with Dan Boda for the Doubles title. Boda won the conference class B singles crown.

1950 — Dixie Conference Champions. Won 9 matches, lost 7.
Lettermen — Co-Captain Larry Dickson, Co-Captain Herb Quay, Don Seiffert, Sam Smith, Bob Lanigan, Dan Boda, Tom Babione, George Martin, Sid Stringer,

TENNIS -- (Continued)

Dick Bradley. Manager Jesse Stokes.

Dixie Conference individual titles won by FSU players -- Class B singles Herb Quay; Class C Singles, Bob Lanigan. Quay and Don Seiffert won the conference doubles title.

1949 -- Dixie Conference champions. Won 11 matches, lost 2.

Lettermen -- Captain Jim Costello, Dick Bradley, Larry Dickson, Oscar Jackson, Bobby Jarratt, George Newman, Herb Quay and George Scott. Manager James Murray.

Dixie Conference individual titles won by FSU players -- Class B singles, Jim Costello; Class B doubles, Costello and Bobby Jarratt.

1948 -- Won 9 matches, lost 4.

Lettermen -- Captain Jim DeLoach, Jim Costello, Larry Dickson, Bobby Jarratt, Bill Kratzert and Bob Lanigan. Manager Bill Albright.

TRACK -- Coach Ken Miller.

1951 -- Dixie Conference Champions. Won 5, lost 1 dual meets.

Lettermen -- Captain Max Watson, Captain-Elect John Poston, Jim Arnold, Bob Bolin, Al Carter, Joe Fracassi, Pete Fraschetti, Walter Grage, Gil Harris, Baker King, Eddie Kucera, Leonard Melton, Dick Mize, Woody Parker, Bob Patterson, Frank Pearson, Bill Petry, Bill Rodger, Ed Seagram, Tom Sebring, Johnny Thombleson.

Dixie Conference individual titles won by FSU men (in each case setting a new conference record)--Woody Parker, 440; John Poston, 100 and 220; Joe Fracassi, Pole Valt (tied); Tom Sebring, Discus; and Mile Relay team of Poston, Parker, Frank Pearson and Dick Mize.

1950 -- Dixie Conference champions. Won 5 meets, lost 1.

Lettermen -- Captain Al Bradford, Tom Bowman, Bill Duncan, Ed Fox, Joe Fracassi, Pete Fraschetti, Dave Harden, Eddie Kucera, Charlie Mahoney, Monte May, Dick Mise, Frank Pearson, Bill Rodger, John Thombleson, Max Watson (Captain-Elect) and Bill Weigel. Managers Gordon Cox and Milton Roberts.

Dixie Conference Individual titles won by FSU men -- Dick Mize in the 440-yard dash; Pete Fraschetti in the 880; Tom Bowman in the high hurdles; Al Bradford in the shot put; Joe Fracassi in the pole vault; Charlie Mahoney, Mize, Frank Pearson and Bowman in the mile relay.

1949 -- Fourth, Dixie Conference. Won) meets, lost 3.

Lettermen -- Al Bradford, Norman Eubanks, Ed Fox , George Grosskopf, Dave Harden, Eddie Kucera, James Lohmeyer, Charles Mahoney, Monte May, Bob McCall, Andy Milan, Bill Rodger, John Thombleson, Joe Wells and Bill Weigel.

Dixie Conference individual titles won by FSU men -- Albert Bradford in the Shot Put and Bill Rodger in the Javelin throw.

VOLLEYBALL -- Coach Bill Odeneal.

1951 -- Mid South Invitational Champions; Florida A.A.U. champions. Won 12 matches, lost 11, tied 3.

Lettermen -- Captain Danny Hobbs, Charlie Floyd, George Edmiston, Jim Clark, James McFatter, Jim Couch, Bill Crook, Emerson Kramer, Bob Greene.

VOLLEYBALL -- (Continued).

Danny Hobbs, Charles Floyd and Emerson Kramer of FSU were named on All-Mid-South team. Floyd, Kramer, George Edmiston and Bill Crook were named on All-State team.

1950 -- Florida AAU champions. Won 10 matches, lost 8.
Lettermen -- Captain Jack Wilson, Alternate-Captain Charlie Floyd, Wallace Cox, Emerson Kramer, Bob Greene, Danny Hobbs, Bill Crook and Max Bayard.
Charles Floyd was named on the Intercollegiate All-American second team. Wallace Cox was selected on the All-Mid-South first team.

1949 -- Florida AAU Champions. Won 11 matches, lost 7 (Coached by Dr. Howard G. Danford).
Lettermen -- Captain Jack Wilson, Max Bayard, Royce Burt, Wallace Cox, Charles Floyd, Johnny Fortune, Charles Franklin, Carroll Gleaton, Newton Sayers, Walter Wells. Manager Max Woitschek.
Royce Burt, Wallace Cox, Newton Sayers and Jack Wilson were selected on the State All-Tournament team. Sayers and Wilson were named on the All-Mid-South Tournament team.

1948 -- Won 8 matches, lost 5. (Coached by Dr. Howard G. Danford)
Lettermen -- Captain A. M. Bassett, Orri Blackburn, Leland Bowman, Leon Darsey, Bob Greene, Emerson Kramer, Bill Leonard, R. L. Massey, Newton Sayers and Walter Wells. Manager Harvey Barber.
Newton Sayers was selected on the Mid-South All-Tournament team.

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1951 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE AND 1950 FOOTBALL GAME RESULTS

1951 SCHEDULE

#Sept	29	Troy State	Home
#Oct	5	Miami	There
#Oct	13	Delta State	Home
#Oct	20	Sul Ross State	Home
+Oct	27	Stetson	Home
Nov	3	Jax N.A.S.	There
Nov	10	Wofford	Home
#Nov	17	Tampa	There
Nov	24	Bradley	Home

1950 RESULTS

FSU	26	Troy State		7
FSU	40	Randolph-Macon		7
FSU	20	Howard		6
FSU	24	Newberry		0
FSU	14	Sewanee		8
FSU	27	Stetson		7
FSU	33	Miss. College		0
FSU	35	Tampa		19

Night games.
+ Homecoming.

ALL HOME GAMES WILL BE PLAYED IN DOAK S. CAMPBELL STADIUM
Day games will start at 2:00 PM, Night games at 8:00 PM